



40p

WHERE SOLD

Banbury Cake

OCTOBER 18, 2012

banburycake.co.uk

01295 256111

Printed and published
by Newsquest
Oxfordshire, Osney
Mead, Oxford OX2 0EJ,
Tel: 01865 425362.
Newspaper Sales
Department 01865
425282. Direct Delivery
0800 028 4592.

JOB? RECRUITING?



Banbury's Leading Recruitment Team



www.selectionmatters.co.uk



Live Vacancies

- Account Manager x 2 - Banbury - £30k to £35k - 10444
- Automotive Technicians - Banbury - £9 per hour - 10385
- Contracts Manager - Banbury - £25k to £30k - 10389
- Events Project Manager - Banbury - £40k - 10408
- PR Account Executive - Oxfordshire - £20k - 10394

Available Candidates

- PR Account Director - Oxfordshire - £45k to £55k - 10413
- CNC Machinist - Buckinghamshire - £30k to £32k - 10411
- Motor Test Technicians - Bucks - £13 to £17 per hour - 10399
- Telemarketers - Oxfordshire - £8.50 to £12 per hour - 10241
- Hardware/Software Integration Engineer - Bucks - £30 to £35 per hour - 10397

Tel: 01295 236364 Email: info@selectionmatters.co.uk

4★London Theatre Breaks

Newmarket Holidays



Newmarket Holidays – who have been bringing folk to the capital for nearly 30 years – really do offer the very best of the West End, with the chance for you to join us in the World's Favourite City on award-winning coach-inclusive breaks, travelling by train or making your own way to London. All the breaks include your choice of ticket for one of the 'hottest shows in town', and accommodation in a four-star standard hotel!

Offering tremendous value for money, with a choice of over 20 shows – from long-running classics to the latest productions that everyone is clamouring to see – plenty of time to soak up the atmosphere of what for many is simply the Greatest City on Earth, and with the assurance that you are travelling with a company that has nearly three decades' experience of looking after visitors to the capital, these breaks are the perfect choice for a few days away.



2 days from
£115.00

London Theatre, Dine & Dance by Coach

Departures available until Jan 2013

Combine all the excitement of a glittering visit to a West End show of your choice with an evening's fun and dancing back at your more-than-comfortable hotel!

Price includes

- Coach travel throughout
- One night's B&B in a hotel such as the four-star Thistle London Heathrow
- A ticket for a Saturday matinee performance from a superb choice of top West End shows
- Dinner on Saturday night
- An after-dinner disco in your hotel
- A transfer into Central London on Day Two
- The services of a hotel-based representative



2 or 3 days from
£129.00

London Theatre by Rail

Friday & Saturday departures until February 2013

Enjoy Saturday night at your choice of top West End shows, all the capital's magic, and select from eight hotels, on this terrific value rail-inclusive break.

Price includes

- Return standard class rail travel with reserved seats to London from a choice of local railway stations
- One or two night's bed and full English breakfast in the four-star London Ealing Hotel (a range of upgrade hotels available for a supplement)
- A ticket for a Saturday evening performance from a superb choice of top West End shows
- Free time in London for shopping and sightseeing

London Theatre Saturday Night by Coach

Hundreds of thousands of theatregoers have enjoyed this classic break over the years, travelling from local pick-up points for unforgettable weekend in the capital, at a truly amazing value price!

Departures until Feb 2013

2 days from £109.00

London Theatre Showstopper by Rail

The train whisks you to the heart of the capital for a weekend that includes a TOP-PRICE seat for a Friday night show and a choice of eight wonderful London hotels.

Fridays until Feb 2013

3 days from £169.00

London Theatre Friday Night Supersaver

Enjoy fantastic discounts on Top Price seats, a great choice of eight wonderful hotels, and all the magic of London, on this 'Make-Your-Own-Way' break to the capital!

Fridays & Saturdays until Feb 2013

2 or 3 days from £79.00

London Theatre Break Saturday Night

This tremendous value, classic 'Make-Your-Own-Way' break includes a Saturday night visit to the theatre – stay for one or two nights in your choice of eight hotels!

Fridays & Saturdays until Feb 2013

2 or 3 days from £95.00

For your FREE London Theatre brochure, complete this coupon & send to:

Newmarket Promotions Ltd, FREEPOST KT2720, Worcester Park, KT4 8BR
(NO STAMP REQUIRED)

OXS

Name _____ Tel _____

Address _____

Postcode _____ Email _____

Enjoy a choice of travel options, stay in a four-star hotel and see a top London show!



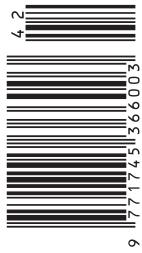
Choose from • Mamma Mia! • The Lion King • Billy Elliot the Musical • Phantom of the Opera • Wicked • We Will Rock You • Jersey Boys • Les Misérables • Shrek the Musical • Singin' In The Rain • The 39 Steps • War Horse • Ghost • The Woman in Black • Matilda • Rock of Ages • The Bodyguard • One Man Two Guvnors • Let It Be • Thriller • Stomp • Viva Forever • Top Hat



www.newmarket.travel/oxs11954 0844 391 2183 quoting code OXS

These holidays are organised & operated by Newmarket Promotions Ltd. ABTA V787X. Subject to availability. Single supplements apply. Calls cost 4p per minute.





40p

WHERE SOLD

BanburyCake

OCTOBER 18, 2012

banburycake.co.uk

01295 256111

J LEVETT GAS SERVICES
Complete Central Heating & Gas Solutions

- British Gas Approved
- Specialising in central heating boiler repairs & replacements.
- **7 year warranty** on all Worcester Bosch boilers (Parts and Labour)
- Natural Gas & LPG

Contact: James Levett
07940 341388/01295 250913
www.jlevettgas.co.uk

'Despicable' metal thieves take important part of town's past

HISTORY IS DESTROYED

"DESPICABLE". That is the word used to describe thieves who stole historic factory gates for scrap and vandals who damaged its war memorial.

Police are investigating the theft of one of the old Alcan factory gates, part of the War Memorial garden in Southampton Road, some time before last Wednesday.

And a memorial to workers at the factory – a major producer of steel during the Second World War – has also been vandalised.

Banbury MP Sir Tony Baldry said: "It is despicable that anyone should have desecrated the Alcan war memorial."

Sir Tony – who visited the site on Saturday – said Standard Life had "lamentably failed" to preserve its war history.

He said: "Even before the recent theft of the memorial gates they had been damaged, the sundial had been vandalised and the pool at the centre of the garden is full of rubbish.

"This is not just a memorial to those who gave their life in the Second World War but it is also an important part of Banbury history."

By Oliver Evans

Police said the gates had been removed and parts broken off for scrap.

Banbury Town Council leader Kieron Mallon also branded the vandals "despicable". The factory closed in 2007.

The former Alcan worker

said: "If the gates have been destroyed and these people are caught then there is no sentence that is strong enough.

"We are calling on the owners to honour their part of the bargain and completely refurbish this garden and war memorial."

Banbury Civic Society chairman Rob Kinchin-Smith

said the group had previously raised concerns about the security of the gates.

He said: "Sadly, it seems most likely that the gates are now probably halfway to China."

Standard Life is redeveloping the site as an industrial estate. Head of UK development James Stevens said the firm is "appalled" by the attacks.

He said: "We fully appreciate the importance of the gates and the memorial to the people of Banbury and we very much hope the police can bring the perpetrators of both crimes to justice.

"We are working with our insurers to ensure the gates are replaced and damage to the garden repaired.

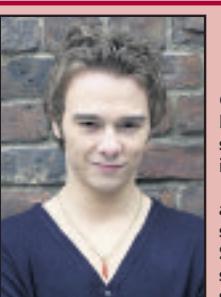
"In addition we will be reviewing the security measures we have in place in light of the recent incidents and will be discussing any proposed changes with the local council in due course."

PC Daniel Hopkins said: "The gates are unique and of historic interest to the victim and they have been cut up on the floor and parts removed for scrap."

Contact PC Hopkins on 101 or call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.



Kieron Mallon Sir Tony Baldry and Sarah Jarvis, whose family worked on the Alcan site for many years OX54962



Jack P. Shepherd

Stars light up

CORONATION Street stars Jack P. Shepherd and Ryan Thomas will switch on this year's Christmas lights in Banbury.

The actors – who play David Platt and Jason Grimshaw – will be the stars of the show at the event on Sunday, November 25. They will help switch on the lights on a stage outside the Town Hall in Bridge Street after three hours of entertainment.



Ryan Thomas

Swan
Windows & Conservatories Ltd

- Your Local Company
- 25 Years Experience
- 10 Years Insurance Backed Guarantee
- Free Quotations

Swan Industrial Estate, Gatteridge Street, Banbury
T: 01295 272279 F: 01295 278310
www.swanwindowsandconservatories.com
ALL WINDOWS MANUFACTURED IN BANBURY

Giving you extra

at your local independent electrical retailer

Get an exclusive 4 years warranty on selected Bosch laundry, dishwashing & refrigeration models from your local Euronics retailer.

EURONICS
4 year
WARRANTY

Selected models: WAE28368GB • WTE84305GB • WTV74309GB • SMS40C02GB
KGN34VW20G • SKGN30VW20G • Offer valid: 1st October - 30th November 2012.

Ask in store for more details • Terms & Conditions apply

BUYWISE
THE HOME OF HOME APPLIANCES
01295 266087
Buy online @ www.buywiseofbanbury.co.uk

BOSCH
Invented for life

A Complete Bathroom for
UNDER £2000

Limited Offer Quality Bathroom Suite

* 1700 5mm bath & panel * Close coupled wc & cistern
* Ceramic basin & pedestal * Chrome taps & wastes

Thermostatic power shower Toughened glass bath screen
5m ceramic wall tiling

All fully fitted for only £1980

Design - Planning - installation
Wet Rooms *Shower cubicles
*Vanity furniture *Tiling

A ROOM TO BE PROUD OF!

FREE no obligation Quotation

tel. 01295 253167

InBRIEF**Purse thefts: three bailed**

■ Three people have been arrested after five purse thefts in Banbury town centre.

The 22-year-old woman, a 20-year-old man and an 18-year-old man are suspected of snatching or stealing purses from mostly elderly women between September 22 and 28.

The suspects, all from Birmingham, were bailed until November 7.

M-way drama

■ One person was taken to hospital following a two-car collision on the M40.

Emergency services were called to the northbound carriageway, between Junctions 11 and 12, just after 8pm on Friday.

Five people were assessed by the ambulance service at the scene and one was taken to the Horton General Hospital, Banbury.

Helpers plea

■ Volunteers are being sought to organise next year's Adderbury Party in the Park after the cancellation of this year's event.

Organisers say just five volunteers are now available to put on next summer's event.

June's planned event was cancelled because of wet weather.

For information call Linda Leslie on 01295 810211 or Sue Halls on 01295 368925.

Invitation

■ Residents in Grimsbury, Cherwell and Easington can meet local police officers at two forthcoming events.

PCSOs will be at Brinkburn Grove, Grimsbury tomorrow, from 5.30pm to 6.30pm, and at Broom Way Car Park, Grimsbury the following Friday, from 6pm to 7pm.

Turf is cut on the site of a new media and motor skills facility

Scheme for £6m college centre becomes a reality

By Oliver Evans

PLANS to build a £6m media and motor skills facility at Oxford and Cherwell Valley College have moved a step closer.

The Broughton Road college has signed a deal with contractor SDC to begin work by the end of the year for a Christmas 2013 opening.

The digital media production and motor vehicle centre is the second phase of a major redevelopment of the college's Banbury site.

Its Academy of Creative Arts was opened last year following a £3.5m refurbishment.

The college has a long-term aspiration to move all facilities to the south side of Broughton Road. The north side would then be sold for housing.

Principal Sally Dicketts said: "This development represents a major investment in teaching and learning facilities for our students in Banbury."

"The new media and motor vehicle centres will provide extremely high-quality environments in which students can develop the skills they need to enter employment or progress further in their education."

Extended diploma media student Ellie Drinkwater, 18, said: "It will be good to have a bigger space."

The Chipping Norton resident said: "There is just not enough classrooms for our course, it would be better to have a base. We are always across the college."



Sally Dicketts, principal of Oxford and Cherwell Valley College, and Francis Shiner, managing director of contractors SDC, cut the first turf on the land which will be used to build a new automotive and media centre at the college's Banbury campus

OX54954

Flooding, and how to prepare for problems in the future

Peter Quarby



COMMUNITIES in Oxfordshire are being urged to be prepared for potential future flooding as part of a new campaign to tackle the problem.

The Environment Agency launched the four-week flood awareness campaign, which included the official opening of a £17m flood alleviation scheme at Banbury, on Monday.

It was the first in a series of Oxfordshire events after one of the wettest summers on record. Each week the Environment Agency campaign has a distinct

theme. In the first week it is "damage and safety".

The Banbury Flood Alleviation Scheme began operating at the end of last year and was officially opened by Banbury MP, Sir Tony Baldry.

The scheme reduces the flood risk to more than 440 homes and 70 business premises in the town.

Other flood-prevention schemes are due to be launched as part of the campaign, including other projects in Newbury and East Sussex.

Peter Quarby, flood and coastal manager at the Environment Agency, said: "Raising awareness is just one of the ways of trying to bring home to people why they need to accept that flooding can happen."

"And how they can prepare for when the worst does happen."

The campaign hopes to educate local people on how to find out if homes or businesses are in a flood risk area; how to minimise potential damage to

properties and what the Environment Agency is doing to reduce the threat of inland and coastal flooding.

To find out more about the risk of flooding, people can sign up for flood alerts and warnings via a free service, Floodline Warnings Direct on 0845 9881188 or go to environment-agency.gov.uk/homeandleisure-floods/default.aspx.

People can also follow the Environment Agency on Twitter at @EnvAgencySE

HALF PRICE High Quality Riser Recliners

Quality Recliners at
Unbeatable Prices

✓ Custom made to any size,
any weight, any fabric
✓ Free home trials available

55% off all health sets

- Family run business
- Exceptional comfort
- Matching sofas & chairs
- Manufactured with over 30 years' experience
- Circulation Enhancing
- Lifetime warranty available

Call us now for a free home trial
or our full colour brochure

0800 690 6614



Westminster Recliners
SUPPORT BRITISH INDUSTRY
Selected lines only

InCOURT

■ BEN HORNSBY, 30, of The Beeches Mobile Home Park, Old London Road, Chipping Norton, admitted shoplifting two bottles of vodka, worth £40, from Marks & Spencer in Bridge Street, Banbury, on August 26. Also admitted shoplifting a bottle of Champagne, worth £30, from the same store on the same day. A community order made with an alcohol treatment requirement for six months. One other offence taken into consideration. Told to pay £103.98 compensation.

■ NASSER YOUNIS, 33, of Sandford Green, Banbury, admitted possession of

cannabis in Banbury on June 1. Given a curfew order for 12 weeks and ordered to pay £85 costs.

■ NIGEL GARDNER, of Far Close, Crossing Lane, Claydon, convicted of causing unnecessary suffering to a Jack Russell terrier by failing to provide veterinary care in respect of injuries. Told to pay costs of £200 and banned from keeping any animals for five years.

■ EAMONN CLOSES, 56, of Friars Hill, Wroxton, admitted growing a cannabis plant on June 12. Discharged conditionally for 12 months and told to pay £85 costs.

STEAMED UP DOUBLE GLAZING?

Don't replace the Frames... just the Panes!

Broken or Damaged Windows?
Faulty Hinges, Handles or Locks?

Want the latest energy saving glass?
5 year guarantee on new double glazing.

cloudy2CLEAR
REPLACING YOUR FAILED DOUBLE GLAZING

...we make saving money perfectly clear...

Call Freephone 0800 61 21 118
www.cloudy2clear.com

Inspector to back rock star on the bagpipes

BAGPIPE-playing policeman Steve Duffy is to reunite with legendary rocker Rod Stewart to raise cash for services personnel.

Detective Inspector Duffy will sound his pipes with the former Faces frontman at the Royal Albert Hall on November 10.

It is more than a quarter century since he backed the star on his 1986 song *Rhythm of My Heart*.

They are expected to take part in a

mass performance of *Auld Lang Syne* at the show, which is being held to raise cash for the Royal British Legion.

The 51-year-old, responsible for Thames Valley Police performance across Cherwell, picked up the pipes aged 10.

Since then he has performed at a range of local and national events for good causes.

He said of the concert: "It is marvellous. Rod Stewart is an iconic

British rock legend. It will be quite nostalgic."

DI Duffy has not seen the star since he recorded the track with him at BBC's Pebble Mill studios in Birmingham.

He said: "He was a really down-to-earth character. He made a point of having a drink with the lads."

After 12 years in the Scots Guards, the Banbury resident joined the force but never lost his love of the sound of Scotland.

He said: "It is an extremely difficult instrument to master.

"They say as a boy it takes five years to get competent and you spend the rest of your life learning.

"It is much like Marmite, you either love it or hate it.

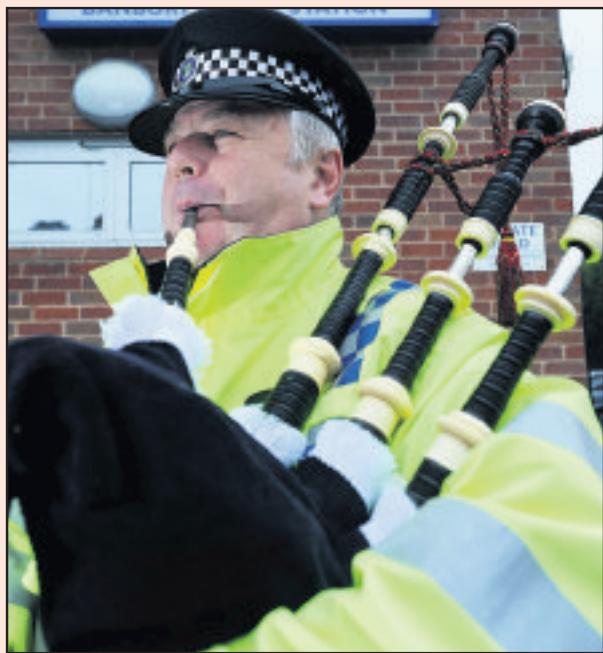
"Fortunately, I have found more people love it than hate it."

Many dislike the instrument because they have heard it played poorly, he said.

DI Duffy said: "The tell-tale signs are it will sound screechy, it will be unpleasant on the ear and the volume and pitch will vary greatly."

Despite having a "very accommodating wife", the dad-of-four says he tends not to practise at home and gets a "little bit of ribbing" from fellow officers.

DI Duffy – whose son Robert, 20, is in Afghanistan with the Scots Guards – will



Steve Duffy with his bagpipes

also lead a 30-strong band of pipers and drummers in a further fundraising event in London on November 1.

He is set to perform at a number of railway stations in the capital, including Marylebone and Paddington, for London Poppy Day.

London Mayor Boris Johnson, The Military Wives Choir and *Eastenders* TV stars are also set to appear at city events in a bid to raise £750,000 in a day.

DI Duffy said of the RBL: "The work they do is as powerful and needed as ever it has been."

■ Area 'cannot cope' with hundreds of homes

Housing plans 'will destroy our fragile village'

By Oliver Evans

A CAMPAIGN has been launched against "opportunistic and speculative" housing plans for Bloxham.

Bloxham Parish Council said two plans for 160 homes would "destroy" the village's "fragile" infrastructure.

Signs and posters have gone up around the village opposing plans for 75 homes in Barford Road and 85 in Milton Road.

It is the latest move in a Cherwell housing row that has led to a raft of controversial estate plans.

Cherwell District Council has earmarked housing sites in the hope this will give it greater legal powers to refuse other schemes.

But major plans such as the 1,070 "Bankside" scheme off Oxford Road have yet to be built, leading to it missing a Government target. Developers have said other sites are vital to drive down house prices and provide affordable housing.

Parish council chairman Dave Chapman said: "These developments, if allowed, would seriously impact on the nature and character of our rural village.

"They will extend the village residential boundary and further encroach into the countryside surrounding Bloxham."

The council said 205 homes have been built since 2005 and Bloxham Church of England Primary School is full and cannot expand.

"Frequent" power cuts, poor water pressure, flood risk and traffic could be exacerbated by the plans, the council fears.

The district council has yet to make a decision on the two plans.

Gascoigne Way resident, David Yates, 64, said: "This will have a major impact on a small village.

"We have shown we are not NIMBYs, we have shown we are allowed to have some development but now is the time for a bit of breathing space."

Peter Frampton, agent for Mintondale Developments Ltd, which is behind the Milton Road scheme, and Gladman Developments, behind the Barford Road, were not available for comment.

The council has to show the Government enough homes are being built to meet needs for the next five years but Gladman said: "There is a substantial under-provision of affordable housing."

Great Deals at Euronics

Your local independent electrical retailer



BOSCH

Invented for life

KGV33VW31G

Classixx 60cm Fridge Freezer

- A++ Rated
- 196/94 Ltrs (6.9/3.3 CuFt)
- LED Electronic Control
- Auto Defrost
- 4* Rating
- 4 Safety Glass Shelves
- H176cm x W60cm x D65cm



Now Only £449.99

Laundry • Refrigeration • Cooking
Dishwashing • SDA • Built-In • Freestanding • Television
Home Cinema • DVD • Blu-Ray

BUYWISE
THE HOME OF HOME APPLIANCES
01295 266087
Buy online @
www.buywiseofbanbury.co.uk

Visit us online at
www.euronics.co.uk

EURONICS

Plaza Balti 5 COURSE MEAL

Bangladeshi & Indian Cuisine

12 Parsons Street, Banbury OX16 5LW
01295 272100/272626
07931 773741

SUNDAY - THURSDAY
6.00pm - 11.00pm
ONLY £9.95

FRIDAY & SATURDAY
6.00pm - 11.00pm
ONLY £11.95

ADVANCED BOOKING REQUIRED

ADVERTISE ONLINE 24/7
banburycake.co.uk



CHERWELL CARS
Fast Reliable 24 hrs | Private Hire Service
01295 255555 - 01295 265555

SERVICES

We are charging normal fares over the festive period

Airport Transfers • Executive Travel
Courier Service • Free phones at all Major Supermarkets

CHERWELL CARS

Book online at www.cherwellcars.com

55 - 56 George Street, Banbury, Oxfordshire, OX16 5BH

Banbury Cake

EDITOR
Simon O'Neill 01865 425450NEWS EDITOR
01865 425500PICTURE EDITOR
01865 425446Email letters to
letters@banburycake.co.uk

OUR POLICY

The Banbury Cake is fully independent of political parties and Government. We aim to provide our readers with a fair, accurate and balanced news and information service. We adhere to the Press Complaints Commission's code of practice.

Although we strive to avoid errors, some may slip through the net. If you find an error of fact, please write to the Editor, Simon O'Neill, at Newspaper House, Osney Mead, Oxford, OX2 0EJ, or telephone him on 01865 425450. It is our policy to correct mistakes where it is appropriate.



The recycled paper content of UK newspapers in 2010 was 77.4%

WOMEN'S HEALTH EVENING

Tuesday 23rd October 2012 at 7pm
Education Room, South Bar House,
Banbury, Oxon OX16 9AD

An opportunity for you to hear a consultant speak on women's health issues and to ask any questions you may have in a relaxed environment.

Our Consultants will talk about:

- Breast lumps
- Bladder problems
- Gynaecology

For further information about this event or to book a place, call 0800 404 6694 or email foscote@bmihealthcare.co.uk

www.bmihealthcare.co.uk/foscote

■ Honour given for political work MP receives knighthood for services

By Oliver Evans

THE MP for Banbury Sir Tony Baldry has been knighted by the Prince of Wales.

Sir Tony's honour was announced in the Queen's Birthday Honours early this year, but he finally accepted the title at a ceremony held on Friday.

The Conservative MP received the knighthood from Prince Charles at an investiture ceremony at Windsor Castle, Berkshire.

Sir Tony Baldry was given the honour for services to political and public life.

Speaking when the honour was announced, he said: "I am very proud to have been made a knight, particularly in the Birthday Honours of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee year.

"All the work in which I am involved as an MP, from campaigns on the Horton Hospital, to campaigns with the churches, are team efforts, and I hope that I will always be an effective advocate for such campaigns."

Mr Baldry was joined at the ceremony by British cookery writer Mary Berry, who received a CBE.

Sir Tony, who attended with wife Pippa and children Edd and Honor, said:

"It was a great privilege being able to go to Windsor Castle to be knighted by the Prince of Wales.

"As Edd and Honor were born after I was elected to the House of Commons, they have known no life other than having a father as an MP, and I think they were as thrilled as I to be present.

"I am proud to be the third consecutive MP for North Oxfordshire to be knighted."



Sir Tony Baldry shows off his knighthood

Brave fire crews awarded medals for long dedication to their jobs

FIREFIGHTERS who have served the Oxfordshire public for a combined total of more than two centuries have been honoured for their service.

Fire Brigade Long Service and Good Conduct Medals were presented to station manager Guy Dunkley, group manager Grahame Mitchell, firefighter Mick Dunn, watch manager Kevin Robbins, watch manager Andrew Hayes, watch manager Matt Smith, watch manager Dave Luke and station manager Paul Webster.

All had served for 20 years.

Pauline Hayton was also presented with a certificate for 20 years' service and Clive Durbin for 30 years' service.

They received recognition for their commitment at Oxfordshire Fire and Rescue Service and Community Safety's annual achievement evening last week.

Chief Fire Officer David Etheridge said: "It is only right that we should acknowledge and recognise long service within Oxfordshire Fire and Rescue and it was fantastic to see families gather to watch their loved ones being awarded with their medals.

"This medal indicates the high esteem in which the recipients are held by the authorities and the public and also expresses our gratitude for their honourable service and devotion to duty."

"All the people receiving the awards really deserve them, and should be proud – because all together there was 210 years total service in the room – collectively an incredible amount of experience, commitment, bravery and endurance."

Group manager Grahame Mitchell, 41, received his long service medal after starting with the fire service in April 1992.

He said: "I think because the fire service is a huge family it is really nice to get some recognition that we have each done 20 years of public service."

"I got back together with the people I joined with and it was lovely for us all to get together with all their families too."

Other awards were given to

George Day and Helen Head for enjoying exam success, and retained certificates for competent status were awarded to Paul Andrew, Nick Harris, Tomas Lucskai, Lisa Guntrip, Steven Henderson and Kevin Thorne.

Dan Pomfret, from Banbury, won Fire Cadet of the Year, while also nominated were Liam Chapman, Rhys Woodward and Zahra Khan. James Butler won Most Improved Fire Cadet of the Year, with other nominations coming in for Hope Miller, Thomas Humphries and Reiss Howard.

Finally, heroic civilians Michael Kennedy Snr, Michael Kennedy Jnr, Bartosz Pytko and Artur Biegala, who all rescued people trapped in fires, received Chief Fire Officer's Commendations.



Chief Fire Officer Dave Etheridge hands the best fire cadet award to Banbury's Dan Pomfret



BMI The Foscote Hospital

THE CONSULTANTS' CHOICE

Pilot scheme connects up every home Village scores a first with fibre optic broadband



BT Engineer Grant Mayhook works on the fibre-optic broadband cables

A SMALL Oxfordshire village is to be first in the country to have every house connected to super-fast broadband.

Deddington was chosen by British Telecom for a pilot scheme that will see fibre-optic cables connected to each of the 1,400 houses. It is part of a £2.6bn plan to introduce fibre-optic broadband across the country.

Currently villagers have complained of Internet speeds as slow as half a megabit per second, way below the national average of 9mbps.

But once the service goes live in the new year that will jump to a maximum of 300mbps. This will allow people to download even huge files, like high definition movies in a matter of minutes.

BT Openreach engineers have been working in the village since April and have laid the majority of a fibre-optic 'spine' from neighbouring Banbury.

Each fibre-optic cable is thinner

By Rhianne Pope

than a human hair and, unlike traditional copper cabling, the speed does not reduce with distance.

Head of the pilot scheme, Steve Jones, said: "We have never before provided fibre technology to 100 per cent of properties – to every single house."

There are also plans to roll out the technology to the neighbouring villages of Clifton, Hempton, Barford St Michael and part of Aynho.

Next Generation Access managing director Bill Murphy said: "Deddington will be in a unique position in the country, even in the world. It has been put on the fibre map."

Challenges were faced in five communities where pavements and roads had to be dug up and cable routed to isolated properties.

Simon Baxter, managing director

of Deddington business Dijon Designs, said: "When the school kids finish at about 3.30pm, the speed here really drops.

"At times we are lucky to get half a megabit. And when we are downloading big files, we let all the staff know they won't be able to send emails for a while."

"So, if this opportunity hadn't come around, we would have had to move the business."

Local resident and parish councillor Jim Flux said: "Not only will our residents and businesses be able to take advantage of ultra-fast broadband speeds, but Deddington is also helping pave the way for the services of the future."

The Deddington exchange was chosen for its size, as it serves around 1,400 lines. Householders have not been charged for the installation but they will have to pay once they start using the service. They will be able to choose their service provider, so do not have to use BT.

Great Deals at Euronics Your local independent electrical retailer



SMS50T02GB

12 Place Setting Dishwasher

- A+ Rated
- 5 Programmes
- Aquamix Glass Protection System

Laundry • Refrigeration • Cooking • Dishwashing • SDA • Built-In • Freestanding • Television • Home Cinema • DVD • Blu-Ray

BOSCH
Invented for life

Now Only **£279.99**

Save
£40

2 Year
Manufacturer's
Guarantee
on all Bosch appliances

BUYWISE
THE HOME OF HOME APPLIANCES
01295 266087

Buy online @
www.buywiseofbanbury.co.uk

Visit us online at www.euronics.co.uk

EURONICS

Where Things For Your Garden Won't Cost The Earth

Autumn Gardening

with the garden lovers garden centre

Trees | Shrubs | Conifers Herbaceous | Herbs | Roses

Opening Hours

Open 6 days a week

Tues - Sat: 9.00-5.30 | Sunday: 10.30-4.30

Open Bank Holiday Mondays



A world of *Choice*



On A423 Southam Road, Nr. Farnborough,
Banbury, OX17 1EL • Tel: 01295 690479

InBRIEF**Man injured in car smash**

A man in his 40s was taken to hospital with non-life threatening injuries after a four-car smash on Monday.

Police say that the man, who was driving a green MG, suffered a medical episode following the collision.

The incident involved his car and a white Vauxhall Bivaro, red Volkswagen Golf and Silver Ford Focus in Middleton Road, Banbury, at 8.25am.

The road was re-opened at 9.05am.

Chance to talk with the force

Banbury police are holding events to meet residents.

Officers will be on hand on October 26, from 6pm in Broom Way car park, Grimsbury, and also in the Alma Road play park.

PC Sharon Harris, from Banbury police station, said: "These meetings are a chance to meet your local officers and discuss any queries or concerns local people might have. We would like to see you there."

If you believe that something inaccurate or intrusive has been published about you, then you can come to the Press Complaints Commission for help. We'll listen to your concerns and deal with your complaint at no cost.

The PCC is the independent self-regulatory body for the UK newspaper and magazine industry. We enforce a Code of Practice and work to raise standards in the press. We offer a service that is fast, free and fair.

We can also advise on concerns about material that hasn't yet been published, or if you're feeling harassed by journalists. For emergencies, we can be contacted at any time of the day or night.

Call us on 0845 600 2757 or visit www.pcc.org.uk to find out more about the PCC and how we can help you.

THE PCC: WE WILL LOOK INTO YOUR CONCERN

■ Accident led to daughter being killed by pensioner's cement truck

Plea by parents spares death driver from jail

By Banbury reporter

A LORRY driver who killed a cyclist in a "terrible accident" has been spared jail, thanks to a plea from his victim's parents.

Pensioner Stephen Bateman, of Astrop Road, Middleton Cheney, had admitted causing the death of Oxford church rector's assistant Joanna Braithwaite by careless driving in an incident last year.

But her mother and father wrote a letter to the judge before the 75-year-old was sentenced at Oxford Crown Court on Friday.

Recorder Harold Persaud, sentencing, told Bateman: "There is something that has impressed me greatly in this case and that is the generosity Mr and Mrs Braithwaite have shown towards you.

"They have said they do not seek retribution. They have also recognised how this has affected you.

"They are aware nothing I do will bring back their daughter."

Miss Braithwaite, 34, was killed on the morning of October 28 last year when she was run over by Bateman's cement mixer, which was carrying 13 tonnes of cement.

He had missed a turning to a Woodstock Road building site and was turning around at the Polstead Road junction when the accident happened.

Miss Braithwaite was pronounced dead at Oxford's John Radcliffe Hospital at about 10am after suffering multiple crush injuries.

The maximum sentence for the charge is five years, but Bateman was given an eight-month term, suspended for a

year. Recorder Persaud also took into account Bateman's clean record and that he was the only carer of his partner, who recently had a major operation.

The court heard Bateman – who had driven lorries for 43 years – had told police he had driven "two million miles" without an accident. Miss Braithwaite, of Bulldington Road, worked for St Aldate's Church as a personal assistant to the Rev Charlie Cleverly.

Speaking outside court, her parents Paul and Charlotte Braithwaite, both 61, said: "There is no way to express in words our sadness at the death of our daughter Joanna. She was full of joy and hope, and our world is a darker place without her.

"Mr Bateman has pleaded guilty to making a less than careful manoeuvre, which resulted in the death of our daughter. We are and have always been quite certain that he in no way intended to hurt her, and so we bear no personal grudge towards him.

"We see no purpose in a man of his age being given a custodial sentence."

They thanked family, friends, the church, police and the prosecution, and made a plea for all drivers and cyclists to take care.

Mr Cleverly said: "It says everything about their generosity and maturity. They are an example to us all.

"It was a terrible accident frankly. Justice has been done." He said Miss Braithwaite was

missed "terribly" by the church and congregation.

Charles Ward-Jackson, prosecuting, said the lorry's rear wheels had caused the fatal injury. He said Bateman should have seen Miss Braithwaite as his lorry had three mirrors on the left side of cab and a camera on the back.

He said: "There was no blind spot at all."

Hugh Williams, defending, said: "It (the accident) had the most tragic consequences, but also one with the lowest culpabilities."

Bateman was banned from driving for three years and will have to take a test before getting behind the wheel again. He was ordered to carry out 240 hours of unpaid community work and pay £400 costs.

RIGHT: Lorry driver Stephen Bateman



Second attempt at GCSE exams

TEENAGERS across Oxfordshire are preparing for a second attempt at gaining a key GCSE pass.

Concerns were raised during the summer that changes to the GCSE grade boundaries left pupils across the country with lower grades than expected.

More than 45,000 children nationwide are now planning to re-sit their GCSE English language exams in November or January in the hope of better results.

But Oxfordshire headteachers have warned it will be too late for some youngsters, as



Melinda Tilley

they have already turned their back on education. Oxfordshire County Council could not say

exactly how many of the roughly 6,000 pupils who sat GCSEs this summer were retaking but it is thought to number in the low hundreds.

One headteacher said: "Most of those who had been badly affected are really disillusioned with it and don't believe it will make any difference.

"It's very frustrating for them and it's very frustrating for us."

Another local head said: "The re-sit is only a good option if you are doing A-levels with us, but there are a lot of kids who now are not doing A-levels."

County council education cabinet member Melinda Tilley said she had feared some youngsters would be put off carrying on at school after failing to gain a C in English and said it was "terrible" if that was the case.

She said: "I would say to them don't give up. Everybody is on their side. Everybody is fighting, including me fighting my own Government to see sense on this."

"I would encourage people to re-sit the exams because it's not their fault."



New resident Maude Richardson, who is looking forward to moving into the newly-converted bungalow

■ Work on Edwardian building will ease waiting list

School converted into new housing

A FORMER Edwardian school has been converted into affordable housing in a bid to reduce the district's massive waiting list.

The former Dashwood School was re-opened on Friday as Dashwood House by council and affordable housing bosses.

Youngsters left the 1902 Marlborough Place building in 2008 for new premises in Merton Street.

It has since undergone a £3.4m conversion to provide 13 affordable homes, which range in size from one to three bedrooms.

A further nine homes for people with learning disabilities

By Oliver Evans

have been provided in a new building on the site.

Cherwell District Council has about 4,000 requests on its affordable housing waiting list. Last year, it helped 414 families into social housing.

It worked with Paradigm Housing Group and landowner Oxfordshire County Council, which is responsible for social services, on the scheme.

Original school features have been retained including glass windows, exposed internal brickwork and entrance signs for boys and infants.

Among those set to move in is Maude Richardson, 53, who said she wanted to downsize from her two-bedroom Bretch Hill maisonette to make way for a family.

She said: "I really loved it, it is near the town."

"It is better, I have to walk up 48 steps to my flat. I only want one room for myself. It is like a house for a family, not me."

District council lead member for housing Debbie Pickford

said: "This affordable housing scheme is very important in meeting the needs of local people."

Paradigm executive director of business development

Andrew Main said: "The old school at Dashwood has allowed the three partners in this project to come together and offer much-needed affordable accommodation, while retaining many of the original features."

County council cabinet member for police and policy Kieron Mallon, welcomed the homes for people with learning disabilities.

He said: "I am sure that having their own homes will make them very happy and help them to live full lives in their local community."

The councils put £200,000 each towards the scheme.

Man accused of trying to burn down home

A BANBURY man threw a Molotov cocktail at the family home of his girlfriend, a court heard on Monday.

Yisa Hassan-Sule, 28, of Broughton Close, is accused of attempting to commit arson with the intent to endanger life.

He also stands accused of the lesser charge of attempting to commit arson recklessly as to whether life would be endangered, and affray.

It is alleged that on December 3 last year, Hassan-Sule pursued his then-girlfriend Alice Greatbatch to her father's

home in Balmoral Avenue. The jury at Oxford Crown Court heard evidence that following a disagreement with her family, Hassan-Sule drove away, before returning to the house in his car and throwing a bottle at an outside wall.

Nigel Daly, prosecuting, said: "The prosecution say that bottle contained petrol and that bottle had a wick, probably made out of a shoelace, which had been lit."

"The common name for such a device is a Molotov cocktail or petrol bomb."

The jury also heard from his former

girlfriend, who said she had been "terrified" after arguing with Hassan-Sule previously that day.

She told the court she had been pursued by him to her father's house, where the pair became embroiled in an argument.

Miss Greatbatch said: "My dad punched him in the side of the face. Yisa was saying he was sorry."

Later, when questioned further, she added: "They called him a black monkey."

The trial continues.

BUYWISE
THE HOME OF HOME APPLIANCES
01295 266087
Buy online @
www.buywiseofbanbury.co.uk

BOSCH WAB28061GB
Exclusive 1400 Spin 5.5kg Washing Machine

- A+ Rated
- 15 Programmes
- 3D AquaSpa Wash System
- LED Progress Indicator
- Fast Wash Penetration
- Dimensions : H85cm x W60cm x D56m

ONLY
£299.99

BOSCH WAE24366GB
Exclusive 1200 Spin 6kg Washing Machine

- A -10 AB Rated
- 15 Programmes
- 3D AquaSpa Wash System
- Vario Perfect
- 24 Hr Time Delay
- Dimensions : H84.7cm x W60cm x D59m

ONLY
£349.99

BOSCH WAE24460GB
Exclusive 1200 Spin 7kg Washing Machine

- A+ +AB Rated
- 15 Programmes
- 3D AquaSpa Wash System
- LED Progress Indicator
- 24 Hr Time Delay
- Dimensions : H84.7cm x W60cm x D59m

ONLY
£399.99

BOSCH WAP28360GB
1400 Spin 9kg Washing Machine

- A++AB Rated
- 15 Programmes
- Eco Silence Drive
- VarioPerfect
- 24 Hr Time Delay
- Dimensions : H84.2cm x W60cm x D59m

ONLY
£499.99

BOSCH WAS28840GB
Exclusive 1400 Spin 8kg Washing Machine

- A+++AB Rated
- 15 Programmes
- Eco Silence Drive
- VarioPerfect
- iDOS Auto Dosing System
- Dimensions : H84.2cm x W60cm x D59m

ONLY
£899.99



Euronics Exclusive Free 4 year warranty consisting of standard Bosch 2 years warranty & 2 years via Domestic & General.

Giving you extra

Get an exclusive 4 years warranty on selected Bosch laundry, dishwashing & refrigeration models from your local Euronics retailer.

T&C Apply. Selected Models only. Promotion dates 1st August - 7th September 2012. This product is sold by us as an agent on behalf of Euronics Limited ("Euronics") Registered in England number: 3029834



EURONICS

InBRIEF

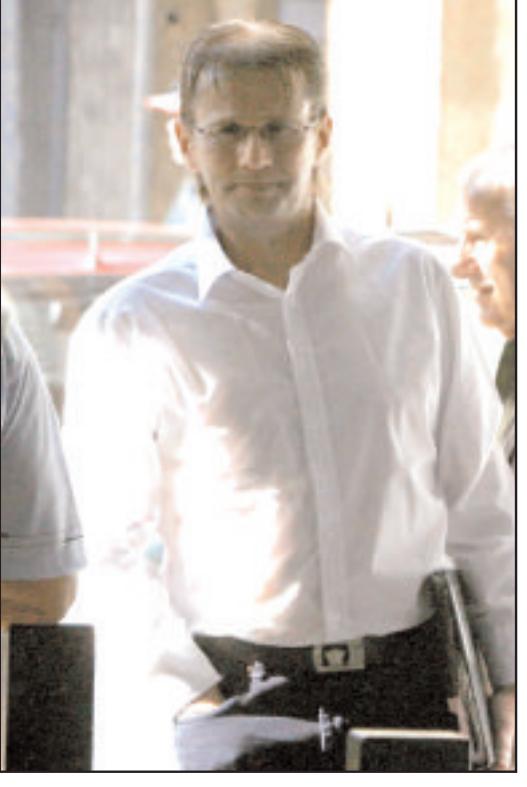
Metal raid

METAL thieves have raided Launton Primary School. Police said a large amount of lead lightning conductors and cable were stolen from the roof of the Bicester Road school. Anyone with details should call police on 101.

Word search

LOCAL people are being asked to help find the source of words and phrases that have made it into the English language. *The Oxford English Dictionary*, published by Oxford University Press, has launched an online initiative aimed at involving the public in finding the earliest examples of words and phrases. Initially they are seeking evidence for eight different words and phrases, including FAQ and bellini, with more to follow in coming weeks. To contribute and find out more, visit public.oed.com/appeals

RIGHT:
Rogue
trader
Mark
Shepherd
pictured
outside
the court



'Pay-back' orders for rogue traders

ROGUE traders, who conned pensioners out of more than £800,000, have been told that they will face jail unless they pay back part of their haul.

Scott Jackson and Mark Shepherd have already served their sentences for targeting an elderly academic and a dementia sufferer during a three-year scam.

At Oxford Crown Court last week, 45-year-old Shepherd, of The Beeches Caravan site, Chipping Norton, was told to repay £50,000 within three months or face 18 months in jail.

His accomplice, Jackson, 41, from Leicester, has to repay a total of £29,000 within six months or face 12 months in jail.

Paul Harrison, prosecuting, said: "I think we have reached an

agreement between us." In May last year, the pair were told to repay these amounts, but both the men claimed they had replied to the Crown court, saying that they had no funds.

Judge Patrick Eccles said: "Both defendants have now served their sentences. We shouldn't be in this position."

In March 2004, the two men told a 85-year-old dementia sufferer that one of her chimneys was tilting and some tiles needed replacing.

Over 15 months she paid them a total of £364,906 for work which should have cost just £30,000.

The following year, an 81-year-old retired Oxford University academic paid £506,880 for building work, which was worth no more than £55,000.

Chairman in bid for police role

KHAN Juna, chairman of the Thames Valley Police Authority, has resigned from his position in order to stand for the position of police and crime commissioner as an independent candidate.

He has been joined in resigning by Anthony Stansfeld, who represents West Berkshire Council on the authority but who has been selected as the Conservative candidate for the role of Thames Valley police commissioner.

As vice chairman of the police authority Ian McCracken will carry out Mr Juna's duties until the body is abolished on Wednesday, November 22.

The election will take place on Thursday, November 15.

Accident Compensation?

Choose the big name you know and can trust!



"If you or someone you know wants to make a claim for compensation, choose wisely and get the best chance of justice and fast maximum compensation"

- Work Accidents
- Road Accidents • Slips & Trips
- Medical Negligence

Call our friendly advisors for a chat

0845 189 8324

No Win
No Fee

Rapid
SOLICITORS

www.rapidsolicitors.co.uk

• Consulting offices throughout the region
• Free home visits • Lines open 24/7

Rapid Response Solicitors - Regulated by The Solicitors Regulation Authority (Reg. No. 00512434)

City council voices its opposition to North Oxon alternative Councillor: Airport idea is 'daft'

OXFORD City Council is the latest authority to oppose the idea of a new airport in north-west Oxfordshire.

At a full meeting of the city council, a motion was passed, opposing the potential idea of building another airport in the county to take the pressure off Heathrow. The vote received cross-party support.

The move came after Government plans were announced to provide extra landing space for planes, with one option being the building of a new facility in Oxfordshire or Berkshire.

The Green Party motion was backed by Labour councillors, but the group and council leader Bob Price questioned the need for it.

He said: "I don't think anyone ever saw it as a likely way forward. An airport in north west Oxfordshire has never been seen by anyone as a realistic option.

"Nobody was keen to have it for obvious reasons, which is why the motion was supported."

By Freddie Whittaker

He said other options, which involved the expansion of other airports, should be explored.

He said: "Everyone I have spoken to is unconvinced by the arguments for a third runway at Heathrow but recognise the need for further landing space.

"They have to look at the expansion of existing airports, like Birmingham, Stansted, Gatwick – all of those would be more suitable."

Green group leader David Williams said: "A Heathrow-sized airport in Oxfordshire would be a disaster. It is unnecessary, environmentally damaging, and would bring greater pollution and disturbance to the area."

And Lib Dem leader Jean Fooks described the idea of another airport in Oxfordshire as "totally daft".

She said: "We understand that people are going to fly, but we all know that a north west Oxfordshire airport is not a good idea."

Warner Leisure Hotels
JUST FOR GROWN-UPS
COUNTRY HOUSE LUXURY

Littlecote House Hotel,

Berkshire

**21 December 2012,
2 nights half board**

Filled with intrigue, history and tales of royal romance. Aside from bursting with colour and having once been where the King enjoyed strolls with third wife Jane Seymour, the gardens also host the Roman Mosaic.

Just look what's included:

- Fabulous break in the 3rd most haunted house in the country
- Stylish accommodation in a luxury, upgraded Signature room
- Delicious breakfasts and 3-course evening meals
- Festive welcome meeting with a complimentary drink
- 50s rock 'n' roll show on Friday
- 60s big beat production show on Saturday
- 'Do you Warner Dance?' – Fun dance workshops and social dancing
- Warner Pop Choir – Fun singing workshop
- Quizzes and game shows
- Pantomime on Saturday with complimentary mulled wine & mince pies
- Plus receive a complimentary ghost tour and historic house tour

Price was £265pp,
Price now from only
£133pp*
in a Signature room



BOOK BY 26 October 2012 **CALL FREE** 0800 1 388 399 **QUOTE CODE** 66RHB

*Offer prices are from per person per break based on 2 people sharing a Signature room. Offer is subject to availability, new bookings only and can be withdrawn without prior notice. Full terms and conditions relating to these breaks are available in our current Warner Leisure Hotels brochure. Please be advised some acts and activities are subject to alteration and can be cancelled without prior notice. All persons in your booking must be over 21 years old. Bourne Holidays Limited (trading as Warner Leisure Hotels) is a company registered in England and Wales with company number 01854900 whose registered office is 1 Park Lane, Hemel Hempstead, Hertfordshire HP2 4YL.

Help at home for premature babies

Pioneering project allows parents to take care of feeding

By Amanda Williams

A PIONEERING project that allows parents to get premature babies home more quickly has been devised at an Oxfordshire hospital.

Babies born early have problems with co-ordinating sucking and swallowing, so are fed through a nasogastric tube until they can manage on their own.

But experts at John Radcliffe Hospital's newborn intensive care unit have been teaching parents how to use a feeding system to allow families to go home earlier.

The pilot scheme is the only one of its kind in the South Central region, and is for babies born between 28 and 34 weeks.

Little Poppy Lynch Blosse was born nearly seven weeks early.

Weighing just three pounds and 15 ounces, it was vital she was fed properly as soon as possible.

But because she was born so early, she had not developed the suckling reflex and so had to be tube-fed. After 10 days in the high dependency unit and a further week in the low dependency unit, mother Kate Lynch Blosse, 29, of Wantage, was able to take her daughter home thanks to the initiative.

She said: "Just being home with her makes all the difference."

"I was in hospital with her for a week, and then I commuted in for ten days. It was an hour-and-a-half



Poppy
Lynch
Blosse

round trip, which was very tiring.

"Having her back here at home, being able to hold her and see her when I want, it's so much better."

Poppy was the first baby to be fed under the scheme and was able to come off tube feeding within a week of being home. Now 15 weeks old, she is happy and healthy.

The project is now being extended to the Horton General Hospital, Banbury.

Consultant neonatologist Dr Eleri Adams is director of the hospital's newborn intensive care unit.

She said: "We don't send the

babies home until the parents are able to manage the feeding overnight. The problem with these babies is that they don't co-ordinate their sucking and swallowing until they get a bit older, so sometimes we alternate tube feeding with sucking feeds. The parents are able to take the babies home on a regime of tube feeding, so that they are able to carry on family life without multiple trips to the hospital.

"Our neonatal outreach nurses see them at home on a regular basis, and check that they are doing well."

New Thames Valley police helicopter service takes off

THAMES Valley Police has this month joined a new joint police helicopter service.

By 2015, the National Police Air Service will deliver around-the-clock air support to all police forces in England and Wales.

As part of the service, Oxfordshire's police will be sent the nearest available helicopter, wherever it may be stationed.

Before, if any of the South East Air Support Unit's helicopters were unavailable, there was no back-up plan in place.

The new scheme will cost less than the previous operation and helicopters will be able to reach anywhere in the region within 20 minutes.

Helicopters will be based at RAF Benson, Bournemouth

Airport and Surrey.

Assistant Chief Constable John Campbell said: "The National Police Air Service will be a strong, operationally resilient service and will come at less cost to the taxpayer."

"Under NPAS, every force will have fast and easy access to air support, unrestricted by geography and, through collaboration, even if one helicopter is already out on deployment, another one will always be available."

"This is another step towards a more joined-up approach to policing and will ensure continuity in the quality of air support across all forces."

Wiltshire Police is set to be the final force to join the NPAS in January 2015.

The price of fly tipping

TAXPAYERS face a £450 bill after the remains of a shed, paving slabs and tins of old paint were dumped in a secluded lane.

They were left off Overthorpe Road, Banbury.

Cherwell District Council's clean and green chief, Nigel Morris, said: "Irresponsible contractors might save money by not disposing of items properly, but all residents in the district pay the price."

"Disposal of building waste ought to be carried out by a licensed operator, otherwise it could be illegal."

If someone had employed a contractor in good faith to dispose of these items, they should let us know and they might be able to avoid prosecution."

Clean-up of the fly tip is expected to cost the taxpayer in the region of £450.

TRADE SECRET

OUTLET FURNITURE WAREHOUSE

www.trade-secret.co.uk



WHAT WE DO IS SIMPLE ...

We buy order cancellations, overstocks and end of lines from the most respected High Street stores and sell them at deeply discounted prices.

Sofas, Armchairs, Love Seats, Footstools, Recliners (Swivel and Traditional), Dining Tables and Chairs, Sideboards, Coffee Tables, Bookcases, Beds, Divans, Mattresses, Bunk Beds and Children's Bedroom Furniture.

See it, like it, buy it - take it away or have it delivered.

New stock in every week - You just never know what you will find.

DEFINITELY WORTH A LOOK!

Twyford Mill, Adderbury, OX17 3SX

01295 810110

OPENING TIMES:

Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm

Saturday 10am - 5pm, Sunday 10am - 4pm

InBRIEF**Gates stolen**

METAL thieves have stolen historic aluminium gates from a former Banbury factory that helped build parts for Spitfires during the Second World War. Police said the gates were taken from the former Alcan site, in Southam Road.

PC Daniel Hopkins said: "The gates were unique and of historic interest and yet they were cut up on the floor and parts removed for scrap." Anyone with information should call police on 101.

Grants offer

CHARITIES, residents groups and voluntary organisations could benefit from a new initiative launched by Sanctuary Housing.

The Cherish Cherwell fund is offering £100 to £1,000 for one-off projects and up to £100,000 for major projects.

Spokesman Harjinder Lota said: "The Cherish Cherwell Fund reflects our commitment to communities across Cherwell, and offers support and encouragement to local people who want to make a positive difference to their neighbourhood."

For information visit sanctuary-housing.co.uk or contact Sue Dunn on 0121 569 8800 or sue.dunn@sanctuary-housing.co.uk

Farming cash

A COLLECTION for Compassion in World Farming on September 8 raised £100.17.

Wheat crop in crisis for local farms



Farmer Mike Gooding takes a closer look at his grain

THE summer washout has taken its toll on Oxfordshire's wheat farmers, with crop yields down by nearly a third.

A heavy rainfall saw county wheat yields plummet 20 to 30 per cent, compared to a national average decline of 14 per cent.

William Emmett, chairman of the National Farmers' Union Berks, Bucks and Oxon branch, said: "2012 has been a great year in every other respect – with the Olympics and the Diamond Jubilee – but it has been a tough year for farming."

The rain also damaged the quality of grain, attracting lower prices from buyers, said Mr Emmett. And more heavy rain this month meant planting was delayed and would hit quality and yields come next year's harvest, he warned.

The British Retail Consortium said poor harvests abroad would also push up food prices.

Around 300mm of rain fell between June and August in Oxfordshire, compared to a previous 30-year average of 161mm, the highest since 1912.

Charles Dingwall said the yields at his own Oxfordshire farm were down 30 per cent.

He said: "We haven't had a year this bad for decades.

"It has been very poor. We have had a reduction in yield but more than that the quality of the grain has been very poor."

Profits were down ten per cent for Oxfordshire farmer Mike Gooding. He said each of his acres produced just a tonne of wheat, compared to a tonne and a quarter last year.

He said: "The rain started and hasn't stopped. The primary problem has been

By Oliver Evans

during the flowering time. It was so cold and wet that there was a lack of insect life, and they did not pollinate the wheat."

Local farmer David Keen said low sunshine from a "very, very poor summer" meant he was now being offered £150 for a tonne of wheat, instead of last year's £180.

He said: "My crop was attacked by fungal disease, which put added pressure on the plants. At the same time the plant roots were flooded and waterlogged."

He added: "Almost as big an issue now, is what is going to happen next year?"

"The weather has been so wet this autumn that, so far this season, there is not a lot of wheat being planted."



William Emmett

FREE hot drink & mince pie at the Cromwell Lodge Hotel



THE Banbury Cake has teamed up with The Cromwell Lodge Hotel to offer readers a free hot drink and mince pie at their Christmas Fair on Sunday October 21, 11am- 4pm.

Start your Christmas shopping this Sunday and choose from exciting, individual gifts. Find unique gift ideas for that someone special. There will also be a range of handmade decorations, cakes and other inspirational festive ideas.

The Cromwell Lodge offers a chance to relax in front of the open fire, enjoy some tasty bar snacks and glass of your favourite tipple or one of our speciality coffees. The hotel's contemporary restaurant, with wooden floors, has an imaginative menu to suit every taste, and a wide range of traditional ales and good wines at great value prices.



Cromwell Lodge Hotel
VOUCHER **BanburyCake**
FREE hot drink & mince pie

Bring this voucher along to the Christmas Fair at the Cromwell Lodge Hotel, Banbury on Sunday October 21, 2012 and get a free hot drink and mince pie.

Terms and Conditions:
Only valid on Sunday, October 21, 2012.
No photocopies accepted. One voucher per customer.

Cromwell Lodge Hotel, 9-11 North Bar Street, Banbury, Oxfordshire, OX16 0TB. www.cromwelllodgehotel.co.uk

MIND, BODY & SOUL

Tasteful Tattoos



Just outside of Banbury is a tattoo artist that can create a piece of body art for all occasions.

Whether you are looking to express an emotion, remember a loved one, or have an idea for your perfect skin enhancement, Paula at Ink Lined To Colour in Avon Dassett, has the experience and artistic flair needed.

For both ladies and gents, this talented artist, offers a bespoke service in a quiet location, away from the hustle and bustle of the High Street. The peaceful environment helps to stimulate creative energy and often means that your appointment will be undisturbed. Paula knows how

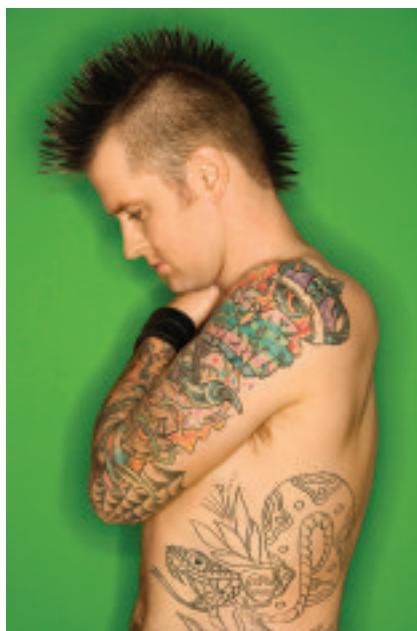
important it is to make her clients feel comfortable and relaxed and her "appointment only" ethos ensures this happens.

Before each tattoo is started, there will be a full consultation. There is no hurry to get you in and out at Ink Lined To Colour. This piece of art will be with you for the rest of your life so your consultation gives you time to plan something perfect.

Paula is happy to work with an image you have supplied, or for those without an idea of how to express in ink what is going on in their mind, the bespoke service offers a chance for you to work together on your tattoo.

With plenty of free parking and great customer service – Ink Lined To Colour is the perfect place to have your tattoo.

Gift vouchers are available and credit cards accepted. To find out more call Paula on 07771 633844, or visit her website www.inklinedtocolour.com.



**LOOK AFTER
YOUR HEALTH...
LOOK AFTER
YOUR FAMILY.**

BANBURY CHIROPRACTIC CLINIC
SOUTH BAR
HANDMADE HEALTHCARE FOR FAMILIES

You have been especially chosen to benefit from this amazing offer. First consultation, examination plus x-rays (if they are needed) Complete explanation of the condition of your spine

FOR £25

This offer
is worth £125.

Offer valid for
all Banbury
Cake readers
Tel: 01295 253434



37 The Green South Bar
Banbury Oxon OX16 9AE
Ph: 01295 253434
www.banburychiropracticclinic.com



BANBURY CHIROPRACTIC CLINIC

Serving the people of Banbury for 15 years

tasteful
tattoos

for Ladies & Gents
By Talented Female Artist

Ink Lined To Colour

Tattoos by Paula

For more details call Paula

07771 633844

www.inklinedtocolour.com



Cut Out and Save...



BanburyCake



Hairography offers a tranquil service away from the scrutiny of the madding crowd, allowing customers to fully relax and enjoy their chosen therapies.

Conventional hair products (although effective) often compromise on the inclusion of harsh chemicals.

Sarah believes there is another way.

Hairography exclusively use organic products, which are just as effective and have a unique advantage, they are gentle on you.

A new concept in hairdressing;

Skin contact and inhalation are the second fastest ways for molecules to be absorbed by the body. Most every day products contain chemicals that researchers have shown to be harmful to human, animal, and environmental health. Prolonged use can lead to skin, auto immune, health and reproductive problems.

No volatile ammonia or other harsh (often petrochemical-derived) chemicals, damaging the hair and possibly the scalp are used at HAIROGRAPHY.

Sarah Evans of Hairography: "I'm not prepared to use products simply because it says organic on the label, there are a lot of poor products out there and many large

company's are simply using the word organic as a sales vehicle".

Open Monday to Saturday our 2 stylists have over 25 years' experience between them!

Sarah Evans and Lynn Sheppard are experienced in modern and traditional methods, are creative and professional. Their warm, welcoming nature and the intimate and calm nature of the salon means you will enjoy a relaxing and nurturing experience and enjoy their full attention from consultation through to a gorgeous finish.

Hairography offers cutting, colouring, re-styling, children's cuts and gents too and Sarah is a Bridal hair specialist with outstandingly good value prices.

Cut and finish start from £25 and colours start from £28. Prices vary according to hair length and all consultations are free.

For appointments with Lynn on Monday, Wednesday or Thursday call 07920 425057

For appointments with Sarah on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday call 07896 360331.

Excitingly Hairography now offers a full Therapy suite including all beauty therapy, Acrylic nails, eyelash extensions, Threading and Hopi Ear candles.

Kathie Foreshee is also fully trained in Microdermabrasion, a wonderful way to rejuvenate the skin and lessen fine lines, acne scars and pigmentation without being invasive.

If you have any muscular discomfort Kathie is fully qualified and experienced in remedial massage therapy. A deep tissue manipulative treatment for people suffering from muscular, joint and stress related problems. Kathie also keeps her prices reasonable and her services professional and nurturing.

We can offer a full package of treats, pampering or getting you ready for a big event or party.

Hairography is having a Relocation Launch evening on Friday 26th October 5 - 7.30pm with discount vouchers and other freebies only available that night.



HAIROGRAPHY

Totally Organic Hair

Tel: 01295 263821

All types of brake work undertaken.
Prices starting from as little as £25 for a set of front pads

DJK TYRES

Oil Change from £30

Interim Service from £70

Interim Service + MOT from £100

Full Service from £130

Full Service + MOT from £160

HAIROGRAPHY
Totally Organic Hair

20% off cut & finish
10% off colours
on Mondays & Wednesdays

Call Lynn on **07920 425057**
valid until 31st October (one voucher per person only)

The Old Stables, 27b High Street, Middleton Cheney OX17 2PA

**THE...
SWEET
BURGER
BAR!!**

At The Wine Vaults Banbury
Burgers Starting From **ONLY £6.25**

1/2 PRICE
GOURMET BURGERS WITH THIS VOUCHER
OFFER EXPIRES 20/12/2012

5/6 Parsons Street, Banbury, OX16 5LW • 01295 261281 Or Find Us on FACEBOOK

DJK TYRES

Oil Change from £30
Interim Service from £70
Interim Service + MOT from £100
Full Service from £130
Full Service + MOT from £160

Tel: 01295 263821
All types of brake work undertaken.
Prices starting from as little as £25 for a set of front pads

STITCHES
Clothing Tailoring And Alterations

Trouser/Jeans Shorten (plain) £6.00 Trousers/Skirts, Zips from £8.00

10% OFF On All Alterations
* Offer does not apply to Dry-cleaning services and the original voucher must be produced at the point of sale, offer expires on 29th November 2012.

5 Market Place, Banbury, Oxfordshire, OX16 5LG
01295 256666 www.stitchestailoring.co.uk

WHITE HORSE AT BANBURY CROSS,
52 NORTH BAR STREET, BANBURY

**2 MAINS
FOR £10**
VOUCHER EXPIRES ON 20TH OCT. 2012

TEL: 01295 277484
WHITEHORSEBANBURY@HOTMAIL.CO.UK
FIND US ON FACEBOOK & TWITTER

énergie
fitness clubs

Join Now - Get the rest of the month free!

St Leonard's Old School
Middleton Rd, Banbury OX16 4RE
01295 255737

CASTLE COBBLER
BANBURY'S BEST SHOE REPAIRER AND KEY CUTTER
£1.00 OFF
The following services:
SHOE REPAIRS, KEY CUTTING & ENGRAVING
now doing passport photo's

Next door to Specsavers
Bridge Street, Banbury
Tel: 01295 263180

To advertise on this page
Call our friendly team today on
01295 256111


BanburyCake

Dirty Oven?
We CLEAN cookers so YOU have time for BETTER things!

We guarantee our results
Tried and tested 'own brand products'
Established 1993
All types of cookers cleaned
Fully trained & insured technicians
Amazing results at affordable prices

Call John on 01295 277789 / 07881 244870
Or visit our website www.cookerbura.co.uk

£5 OFF
when you mention this advert

CakeLeisure

banburycake.co.uk/leisure

Talent far from run of the Mill

Comedy and music combine in the next few days to give audiences an autumn treat

On Saturday, enjoy a blast from the past with a light-hearted visit from Ian Dury's Blockheads.

Hit Me With Your Rhythm Stick and *Reasons To Be Cheerful Part Three* are among the iconic tracks that will be echo around the Mill Theatre in Spiceball Parl.

This amazing band formed in 1977 to promote Ian Dury's album, *New Boots and Panties* on the first Stiff Records tour of the UK.

The Blockheads are fronted by legendary Ian Dury's best friend, Derek 'the Draw' Hussey, who is now the band's vocalist and chief songwriter.

Alongside Hussey will be Chaz Jankel, Norman Watt-Roy, John Turnbull and Mick Gallagher – all members of that original Blockheads line up.

And the five will be joined by John Roberts on drums and one of a rolling rota of saxophonists which includes Gilat Atzman, Terry Edwards and Dave Lewis.

Ian Dury died in 2000 of cancer but his faithful band takes on the extraordinary spirit of the man's music in their brilliant show.

The talented and fun loving Brit-Funkers will be playing all the old favourites and some new material to delight their Banbury audience.

■ **Saturday (October 20), 8pm.**

Tickets. £22.

On Sunday, it's the turn of hot new comedy talent Daniel Sloss

Simply called *The Show*, Sloss's appearance is one of 50 during this UK tour. The internationally acclaimed comedian has been described as half man, half Xbox.

He started performing stand-up at the age of 16 and has already appeared on Michael McIntyre's Comedy Roadshow, *Eight out of Ten Cats*, Jason Manford's Comedy Rocks, *The Rob Bryden Show*, Comic Relief's *Mock the Week*, *The Paul O'Grady Show* and the 2012 Stand Up for Sport Relief as well as starring in his own BBC show, *The Adventures of Daniel*.

He became one of the youngest ever finalists in the national comedy competition, *So You Think You're Funny* in 2008 aged just 17.

"All that was before I started to shave. I'm now 22, I've left home and the gloves are off!" he says.

Sloss was named best new

comedian at the Scottish Variety Awards last year.

■ **Sunday (October 21), 7.30pm.**

Tickets £13.50-£10

And, on Wednesday, enjoy a shot of anarchic fun with *Not Appropriate (Confessions of a Teacher)*.

Comedian, entertainer – and former schoolmaster Kevin Precious promises an evening of hilarious fun as he explores his former life.

This is a show to appeal to anyone who has ever taught, or for that matter been to school. And parts of it are likely to be well, not appropriate. Please note: It has an age recommendation for audiences: 16 years+.

Precious is a stand-up comedian, MC and one time RE teacher from Brighton. He has performed his routines at top venues all over the country including clubs such as Jongleurs, Jesters and The Glee.

He is also co-founder and regular compere at a variety of Barnstormers Comedy venues all over the south and Midlands.

■ **Wednesday, October 24,**

7.30pm. Tickets £10-£12

For all shows, call the Mill box office on 01295 279002



FUNNY BUSINESS: Daniel Sloss

Contact us for free and confidential advice
0800 781 2662

returnppi.co.uk

We only charge **15%** all on a no win, no fee basis and we take no upfront fees.

Up to 20 million people in the UK have potentially been mis sold payment protection insurance and are eligible to make PPI claims! Up to 40% of your monthly payments on loans, credit cards and mortgages could be a total waste of time!

returnppi.co.uk can claim your premium back for you with interest, giving you a cash lump sum and if the loan is still ongoing - lower monthly payments. Start your PPI claim today...

Why Choose Us?

- We negotiate 100% PPI payout + your interest!
- A no win, no fee service!
- Quick and easy application - we handle everything!
- Free no obligation review! On all loans in the past 10 years paid off or still being paid.
- No upfront payments!
- A low 15% fee on successful claims - 50% lower than some other companies!
- Regulated by the Ministry of Justice!
- Many claims settled in weeks!



returnppi.co.uk is a trading style of Astute Finance. Astute Finance Limited is regulated by the Ministry of Justice in respect of regulated claims management activities. Registration number CRM27037. It is recorded on the website www.claimregulation.gov.uk

Astute Finance, Unit D, Dunston Court, Dunston, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, S41 8NL, United Kingdom. Consumer Credit License No. 0558760 | Data Protection No. Z5680136

Copyright 2012. Astute Finance. All Rights Reserved

To advertise your articles for sale

Telephone: 01865 420420 email: reception@nqo.com

Shakespeare's set to shine

A musical feast awaits audiences this weekend when members of Banbury Operatic Society perform *Shakespeare and Love*, a concert with songs from musicals based on love and the works of the Bard.



The cast have been busy rehearsing the 26 songs featured from shows as varied as *The Lion King*, *Kiss Me Kate*, *West Side Story*, *Hello Dolly*, *Aspects of Love* and *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum*.

Alena Saroka, musical director for the concert, has been working with Sally-Anne Watts, director, to bring out the

operatic society's range of talent.

"A concert gives us an ideal opportunity to showcase the depth of talent we are fortunate to have," says Sally. "It gives everyone a chance to shine."

This is a concert that has something for everyone, with well-known songs from hit Broadway and West End shows, Shakespearian sonnets set to music and even some grand opera.

■ **Tickets for the concert, at Marlborough Road Methodist Church on Friday and Saturday (October 19 and 20), cost £10, including a ploughman's supper for the two evening performances and a cream tea for the Saturday matinee. You can get your tickets from Anker Estate Agents or buy online at www.banburyoperaticsociety.co.uk**

BANBURY CAKE

DATING

Find Love

Be proactive,
meet someone
new today...

TWO'S® COMPANY

18/10/2012



I'LL TREAT YOU RIGHT Sincere Swindon woman, 54, GSOH, fun personality, loves nights out, socialising and music, seeks a friendly bloke, to share lots of good times and more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 104377 or send a text to 80360

SHALL WE DANCE? Blonde, blue-eyed Swindon girl, 55, friendly nature, well-travelled and loyal, lover of life, searching for an active, educated man, who appreciates, food, wine and life in general. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 110895

THAT SPECIAL PERSON Honest, bubbly female, 55, kind, loving, seeks fit+ male, for romance, companionship & lots more. Bicester. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 110670

RECIPE FOR LOVE Kind hearted, sociable Oxford female, 56, active, caring, GSOH, enjoys rock concerts, seaside, animals and driving, searching for a warm, loving and funny gent, for company, sharing and maybe more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 130132 or send a text to 80360

FIRENDS FIRST Intelligent, attractive Wiltshire female, 56, widow, Brunette, 5'2", likes radio 4, reading, travel, art gallery and gym, new to area and seeking a similar guy, GSOH, for company and more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 852093

FOR HAPPINESS Upbeat Swindon female, 45, 5'4", would like to meet a male, to go on dates, share company and hopefully form a relationship. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 127393 or send a text to 80360

O OF A GENUINE DESCRIPTION Laid-back Swindon female, 46, still looking for my Mr Right, to share and enjoy life with. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 126129 or send a text to 80360

COULD BE U Spiritual, genuine Didcot woman, 46, attractive, fun, have grown up children, likes clubs, cafes, music, films, walking and reading, seeking a caring and optimistic man, for friendship first. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 123828 or send a text to 80360

OUR MOMENT Lovely, hard-working, petite woman, 48, likes socialising, city pubs, eating out, seeks similar guy, for fun, laughter & hopefully more. Oxford. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 102616 or send a text to 80360

SMOOTH MOVE Slim, blue-eyed Trowbridge female, 48, 5'2", GSOH, easy to get on with, enjoys nights out, walks and more, searching for an honest, active, interesting man. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 109958 or send a text to 80360

MEANINGFUL TIMES Active, outgoing Trowbridge female, 57, loves cinema, seaside, travelling and animals, would like to meet a man for company leading to a possible relationship. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 108304

JUST THE TWO OF US Separated, slim, smart, attractive Marlborough lady, mid-50s, young at heart, likes meals out, dogs, cosy times and more, seeking a friend and soul mate, to go ahead with me in life. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 452750

BE YOURSELF Cuddly, bubbly, caring Kidlington widow, 63, enjoys days out, country walks, dining and theatre, searching for an interesting, honest, non-smoking man, with GSOH, to add a little sparkle to life. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 129111 or send a text to 80360

CHATS OVER A PINT? Country woman looking to meet a loving, dark haired, slim man. I'm 63yrs old, 5'7", slim and fit, love being outside, walking and gardening. Marlborough/Wiltshire Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 117215 or send a text to 80360

DO YOU HAVE A KIND HEART? Oxford widow, 57, 5'3", blue-eyes, works full-times, enjoys socialising, walking my dogs, theatre, eating out & family life, seeking a decent man, to enjoy life with. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 130105 or send a text to 80360

START LIVING AGAIN Friendly, fun Oxfordshire divorced mum, 51, grown up children, looking for love again and someone to share life with. Is this the right man out there for me? Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 798084

SOMEONE EXACTLY LIKE YOU Caring, lovely, bubbly Bicester lady, 53, looking for a tall, kind, caring and romantic man for a lasting loving relationship. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 118921 or send a text to 80360

A DEEP CONNECTION Big, bubbly Swindon lady, 54, black, GSOH, caring, enjoys music, reading, going out & cinema, looking to meet a like-minded white guy, 40-50, kind, loyal and fun, for a true relationship. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 115425

FACING FORWARDS Young at heart, attractive Abingdon woman, 59, GSOH, family orientated, active, enjoys keeping fit and animals, searching for a similar man, fun, honest and genuine, for company and more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 125994

LIVE THE LIFE YOU LOVE Cuddly Chipping Norton widow, 59, widowed with grown up family. Enjoys walking her 2 dogs and playing bowls for a local team. Seeks similar gent, for friendship and romance. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 132223 or send a text to 80360

THE LONG TERM Separated, easygoing Oxon female, 55, likes cooking, evenings in/out and much more, seeks friendly male, to enjoy life with. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 100451

SEEKING THE RIGHT MAN Separated, attractive Witney female, 60, 5'2", curly, likes cooking, evenings in/out and much more, seeks friendly male, to enjoy life with. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 128289 or send a text to 80360

LOVE IS FOR SHARING Easygoing, sincere Trowbridge lady, 60, med build, 5'6", GSOH, N/S, enjoys good social life, darts, music, walking & reading, searching for that special guy, N/S and caring for dates & more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 130132 or send a text to 80360

HOPING TO MEET YOU Kind, caring Henley guy, 30, easy to talk to and always up for a laugh, looking for some one special, who is honest, kind and chatty, to enjoy life with. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 124455

WE COULD BE GOOD TOGETHER Down to earth Swindon male, 37, enjoys cycling, walks, travel and lots more, seeks laid back female, for good times and more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 120512 or send a text to 80360

GENUINE AND CARING Oxfordshire widow, 61, 5'6", slender build, sociable, caring and well-travelled, searching for a genuine, professional guy, non-smoker, for friendship, maybe lasting love. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 466487

FRENDSHIP, MAYBE MORE... Sociable, active Witney woman, 62, GSOH, widow, attractive, likes meeting people, theatre, drinks, meals out and walking, seeking a similar man, caring and genuine, for friendship and maybe more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 127066

KNOW WHAT MATTERS Upbeat, cultured, sophisticated Banbury lady, 62, own house and car, likes swimming and wondering about the countryside, would like to meet an up-lifting man, to fill in the gaps. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 123403 or send a text to 80360

COSSY TIMES TOGETHER Upbeat Abingdon male, 40, blond-hair, wears glasses, loves music, records fairs, socialising with friends, pubs, holidays, would like to meet a lively woman, for fun and laughter. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 129111 or send a text to 80360

WE CAN BE HAPPY Fun male, 44, likes meals out, keeping fit, weekends away, 5ft9in, seeking friendship may be more with someone special. Banbury. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 854670

CHANGE OF LUCK? Warm, blue-eyed Banbury male, 46, 6ft, kind and truthful, intelligent and thoughtful, searching for an understanding woman, to share and enjoy a quiet and happy life with. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 125562 or send a text to 80360

IT'S NOT UNUSUAL Friendly Witney male, 47, 6', blue eyes, enjoys sports, music, cosy nights in, going out and having a laugh, would like to meet a female friend, for good company and laughter. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 121412

THE HONEST KIND Easygoing male, 57, from Oxford, likes cinema, sports, nights in, seeks female for a long term relationship. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 115039 or send a text to 80360

NEED SOMEONE SPECIAL Happy-go-lucky Banbury male, 48, works part-time, would like to meet a woman, who like walks, social drinks and dining out. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 131071 or send a text to 80360

HAPPY TIMES AHEAD Caring, genuine Banbury guy, 48, GSOH, solvent, romantic, enjoys going out for a meal/drink, country walks and animals, searching for a nice lady, funny and kind, for friendship and maybe more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 126861 or send a text to 80360

TIME FOR A CHANGE Friendly, expressive and vibrant Kidlington male, 51, would like to meet a life-loving, interesting lady, to share the future together. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 117916 or send a text to 80360

TAKE A BREAK WITH ME Friendly, caring Banbury widow, 59, enjoys dog walks, country pursuits and travel, seeking an affectionate woman, 40-60, for genuine companionship, company hopefully leading to more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 126741 or send a text to 80360

ETERNAL COMPANIONSHIP Outgoing, divorced Witney male, 51, pugs, meals, nice walks, family life, seeking an interesting woman, to get to know better. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 125459 or send a text to 80360

DATING ADVICE: When arranging a date always meet in a public place. Do not give out your contact details until you are comfortable. Place your own advert and leave your number for other members to contact you on. Always tell a friend or relative where you are going and who with. GUIDELINES: You must be over 18yrs to use this service. We reserve the right to edit or refuse any advert for any reason. Your advert may appear on our website or in associated publications. DISCLAIMER: Two's Company is a registered trademark. Newsquest assumes no liability for the content of or reply to any personal advertisement. The advertiser assumes complete liability for the content of all replies to their advert. The advertiser agrees to indemnify and hold Newsquest harmless from all costs, expenses (including solicitor's fees), liabilities and damages resulting from or caused by the publication or recording of any reply to any such advertisement. Service provided by Newsquest Ltd, London EC4M 6YD.

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Place your advert call FREE on:

0808 118 4618

0808 calls are free from BT landlines.

Seen an advert below you want to contact? Call: 0905 005 2359

Before you dial! Have the ads **6-digit box number** written down and key-it-in **promptly** when asked. Then you will be able listen to the member's greeting and leave a private reply if you wish.

Remember to leave your contact details, so they can reply.

0905 calls £1.53/min with BT at all times

INTO THE SUNSET Friendly, sociable Oxford male, 51, polite, caring, solvent, likes gardening, sports, music, walking, cinema, nights out and cooking, seeking a bubbly and honest female, for company and more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 101122

PASSION FLOWER Young-looking, Wallingford 59y old, 5'9", dark hair, wears glasses, enjoys cinema, bowling, days out and socialising, seeks loving, loyal female, for romance. Oxford. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 101058

KINDRED SPIRITS Presentable, educated chap, 66, enjoys the arts, history, places of interest, exploring towns/countryside on foot, with attractive, vivacious lady, for romance. Oxford. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 101058

LOVING LIFE Loyal, solvent North Oxfordshire gent, 66, 5'9", loves soul and motown, coffee and theatre, searching for an attractive, interesting lady, 50-65, to share and explore interesting times. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 104998

THE BEST IS YET TO BE Caring, Oxfordshire male, 52, brown hair, green eyes, GSOH, searching for a nice, genuine girl, for friendship first, then maybe more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 118655

MADE FOR EACH OTHER Handsome, healthy, friendly, easygoing Marlowe gent, 59, works full-times, loves weekend away, car boot sales and walking, looking for a lady 48-55 to share life and love. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 129150 and send a text to 80360

SIMILAR IDEAS Down-to-earth Kidlington male, 52, enjoys swimming, walks, cinema and dining, searching for a loving female, for a steady relationship. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 120703

ENJOY GOOD COMPANY Honest male, 44, 6'3", stocky build, gsoh, enjoys sports, travel, cosy times in social drinks, seeks fun loving female, for happier times. Oxford. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 124559 or send a text to 80360

NOT TO BE MISSED Spontaneous, caring, hard-working Oxford guy, 54, likes music, cooking, live bands, good wine and F1, would like to meet a simple woman, to share life with. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 101716 or send a text to 80360

LONG LASTING HAPPINESS Fairly fit Banbury man, 60, 5'11", fair-haired, blue-eyes, works as electrician, looking for a nice lady around the same age, for friendship possibly leading to more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 562685

SOUL TO SOUL Dedicated, active male, 77, looks younger, 5'5", N/S, enjoys pub meals, car boot sales, crosswords and cosy times, with charming lady, to share quality times. Oxford area preferred. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 100937

ARE YOU THE ONE Easygoing Christian female, 41, 5'6", blonde living in Devizes, thoughtful, caring, affectionate & young at heart, with like minded lady, for friendship/committed relationship. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 107470

HOPES THIS WORKS Cuddly Swindon lady, 47, easygoing and fun to be with, looking for friendship leading to more with a nice, friendly, bubbly woman. Where are you? Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 851817 or send a text to 80360

A FUTURE FILLED WITH LAUGHTER Divorced, young at heart male, 55, own house in Oxford, likes cinema, theatre and clubs, seeks caring female for happy times and more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 107632

CONFIDENTLY YOURS Widowed chap, 60, 5'10", own home/business, Witney based, enjoys music, country walks, pubs, fishing, gardening, seeks outgoing female, to enjoy life again. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 107964

SO GOOD TOGETHER Genuine, easygoing, happy Abingdon male, 61, own home/car, enjoys dancing, days out and walking the dog, searching for a genuine lady, with an attractive and happy nature. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 466085

POSITIVE ATTITUDE Fit Latino male, 61, looking for someone who can share fun, life in general and hopefully love with Oxford. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 460522

ROOM WITH A VIEW Easygoing Oxford male, 62, likes wining and dining, theatre, holidays, pubs, clubs, seeking a genuine female, for good times and more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 115976 or send a text to 80360

HONEST RELATIONSHIP Sociable Oxford male, 52, likes country walks, bowling, cinema, playing darts, snooker, cosy times in, seeking a warm-hearted man, to enjoy life with. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 126260 or send a text to 80360

PUTTING THE SPARK BACK Easygoing, stocky built Oxford guy, 49, blue eyes, likes pubs, cinema, the arts, looking for a similar man 35-60, for companionship and hopefully we'll see where it leads to. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 115976 or send a text to 80360

HONEST RELATIONSHIP Sociable Oxford male, 52, likes country walks, bowling, cinema, playing darts, snooker, cosy times in, seeking a warm-hearted man, to enjoy life with. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 126260 or send a text to 80360

THAT'S ALL FOR NOW... Easygoing, friendly Didcot male, 65, enjoys walks, theatre, cosy times in, socialising, seeks a friendly, active chap, for company and more. Call 0905 005 2359 and enter box number 131800 or send a text to 80360

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating

Follow us for help and special deals on:

www.twitter.com/Becky_2sCompany

www.facebook.com/TwosCompanyDating</p

Frighteningly good tale of the macabre

FRANKENWEENIE 3D (PG, 87 minutes) Animation/Comedy. Featuring the voices of Charlie Tahan, Winona Ryder, Catherine O'Hara, Martin Short, Martin Landau, James Hiroyuki Liao, Robert Capron, Atticus Shaffer. Director: Tim Burton

THE pain of losing a loved one leaves an indelible mark on the hardest heart.

Frankenweenie is a charming and impeccably crafted stop-motion animation about a lonely boy who cannot bear the loss of his pet dog.

So the ingenious tyke re-animates the deceased pooch with a lightning bolt a la Mary Shelley's *Frankenstein*, blind to the repercussions of meddling with Mother Nature.

Writer-director Tim Burton has dealt with the pain of grief and solitude before, most powerfully in Edward Scissorhands – another haunting fable about a misfit out of step with his off-kilter surroundings.

Frankenweenie shares the same screen heroine, Winona Ryder, and the spirit of Edward's creator Vincent Price lives on in the striking, sculpted features of a high school science teacher, whose class demonstration with electricity and frog's legs sows the seeds of this picture's macabre plan.

Victor Frankenstein (voiced by Charlie Tahan) is an outcast in the sleepy community of New Holland, where he lives with his parents (Martin Short, Catherine O'Hara).

His only friend is the family's bull terrier Sparky, who has a crush on Persephone, the pampered black poodle that lives next door with Victor's classmate Elsa Van Helsing (Ryder).

A scene from *Frankenweenie*



When tragedy strikes and Sparky is laid to rest in the pet cemetery, Victor is plunged into despair. Then teacher Mr Rzykruski (Martin Landau) plants the seed of an outlandish idea.

"Science is not good or bad, Victor, but it can be used both ways," counsels Mr Rzykruski.

In the dead of night, the boy digs up Sparky, constructs a machine to harness lightning and the dog is reborn, albeit with a tendency to lose his decaying tail.

Victor doesn't care – he has his best friend back – and he keeps the pet hidden from prying eyes, including his parents.

Once classmates discover Victor's breakthrough, they plot similar experiments with their pets.

Frankenweenie looks stunning, captured in eye-popping 3D.

The black-and-white visuals are crisp and every frame is peppered with horror references and in-jokes.

There are nods and winks to *Gremlins* and *Godzilla*, plus a torch-wielding showdown that embraces Mary Shelley with gusto.

Tahans gives a moving portrayal of Victor, tearfully telling his parents "I don't want (Sparky) in my heart, I want him here with me".

The grand finale is orchestrated at a brilliant, breathless pace.

CakeWhat's on

Music

FRIDAY: Methodist Church, Marlborough Road, Banbury: *Shakespeare and Love*. £10 to include ploughman's supper for the evening performances and a cream tea for Saturday matinee 2pm. Banbury Operatic Society. Fri-Sat, 7.30pm. 07745 411002.

SATURDAY: Social Club, Astrop Road, Middleton Cheney: Lee Malvern 4. Singer and instrumental band. 7.15pm. £4, member £2. 01295 721220

The Theatre, Spring Street, Chipping Norton: The Charleston Chasers. Hot swing music from the roaring '20s and '30s. 25th anniversary tour. £15, concession £13. 7.45pm. 01608 642350 Mon-Fri 10-6pm, Sat 10am-2pm.

The Wheatsheaf, 68 George Street, Banbury: Acoustic Autumn. The third installment of the Acoustic Season. Introducing: 8.00-8.30pm James Blowers; 8.35-

9.05pm Damien Black; 9.10-9.40pm Rob and Adam; 9.45-10.15pm Stevie Matt Cooper (plus guests); 10.15-11pm The Holly Perkins Band (acoustic). Free admission. 01295 266525.

SUNDAY: Social Club, Astrop Road, Middleton Cheney: Now and Then. Singer and instrumentalist duo. 7.15pm. £4, member £2. 01295 721220.

Theatre

The Mill Arts Centre, Spiceball Park, Banbury: Oct 18, Bollywood Brass Band. 8pm. Joined by Pakistani singer Rafaqat Ali Khan £18.

Oct 19, White and Matthews. £14, concession £12. 8pm.

Oct 20, The Blockheads. 8pm. £22. Box office: 01295 279002.

The Theatre, Spring Street, Chipping Norton: Oct 18, *Fever Pitch*. £13, concession £11. 7.45pm.

Oct 19, fundraiser - *Senses and Sensibility*. £15 including wine and cheese (£12 per ticket for parties of 4 or more). 7.30pm.

Oct 20, *Cowboy Baby*. £8.50.

11.30am (with free workshop 1-2pm for 30 children aged 4 and older. Limited places). £8.50. Box office: 01608 642350.

Cinema

Odeon, Horsefair, Banbury: Madagascar, PG, daily 1.45pm*; (3-D) daily 4*, 6.15pm*. Paranormal Activity IV, 15, Sat-Sun 12.50pm, daily 3, 5, 7.15, 9.15pm. Taken II, 12A, daily 8.30pm. Senior Screen: The Dark Knight Rises, 12A, Wed 11am. Odeon Kids: Brave, PG, Sat-Sun 11.30am*. Box office: 0871 224 4007.

Events

SATURDAY: Clic Sargent Charity Ball: Rye Hill Golf Club, Milcombe. £49. 7pm. 07920016430.

IN ASSOCIATION WITH
ODEON
TAMPALE AMBIENT FILM
INTERMISSION

Win tickets

JUST so you feel like you really are at the movies, the *Banbury Cake* and Odeon Cinema Banbury have teamed up to offer you the chance to catch up on the latest action blockbusters, sci-fi epics and family favourites.

Yes, every week in the *Banbury Cake* we'll be offering free tickets to go and see some of the silver screen's must-see movies.

And this week, we're offering a pair of tickets to see *Frankenweenie*, or any other film, showing at the Odeon cinema in Horsefair.



To stand a chance of winning, correctly answer the following question:

■ Who directed *Frankenweenie*?

- a. Tim Burton?
- b. Tim Henman?
- c. Tim Brooke-Taylor?

Email your answer to jeremy.smith@nqo.com by noon, next Monday. You must include a daytime telephone number as you will be contacted by phone. Normal Newsquest rules apply. The editor's decision is final.

iKidz activity club PRESENTS ITS MOST SPOOKTACULAR HALLOWEEN PARTY FROM 4PM-6PM 31ST OCTOBER 2012

TAKE PART IN THE MONSTER PUPPET MAKING HUNT FOR GHOSTS AND OUR FANGTASTIC DISCO AND FOOD BUFFET CLUB CARD HOLDERS £5.95 NON CLUB CARD HOLDERS £9.95

BOOK IN AT RECEPTION OR CALL US ON 01295 487987

CakeSport banburycake.co.uk/sport

Evo-Stick Southern League Premier Division defeat for the Puritans

10-man Banbury beaten at home

BANBURY United lost their unbeaten home Premier Division record with another disappointing display at Spencer Stadium.

The Puritans were indebted to a goal-line clearance by Jack Ashton in the sixth minute, only to fall behind 60 seconds later.

They failed to clear their lines and a left-wing cross from was converted at the near post by Weymouth fullback Kyle Critchell.

Banbury then laid siege to the Weymouth goal for the next half-hour, with Kynan Isaac and Adeyinka Talabi being thwarted by Terras goalkeeper Simon Evans. However, United were caught on the break in the 34th minute as Weymouth doubled their lead when

Banbury United
(Lorraine 43)

1

Weymouth
(Critchell 7, Joyce 34, 65))

3

Ben Joyce placed the ball wide of Matthew Gill.

Two minutes before the break, Banbury pulled a goal back with Tom Lorraine smashing home a Talabi cross.

When Joyce scored his second and Weymouth's third goal in the 65th minute, there was no way back.

Banbury's misery was complete when Marvin Martin was sent off for two yellow cards with 10 minutes left.

Banbury Utd: Gill, Cray, Martin, Blossom, Ashton, Talabi, Bridges (Plowright 81), Polk, Lorraine, Coronado (Agymean-Prempeh HT), Isaac. Subs not used: Ryan, Dumbleton, Cross.

Attendance: 352.



Banbury United's Adeyinka Talabi came close to scoring early on for the Puritans

Prodrive to keep Mini in rally contest

BANBURY-BASED Prodrive are to continue to target a full programme of events in the World Rally Championship next year, backed up by a comprehensive development programme for the Mini John Cooper Works WRC and S2000 cars.

It follows the announcement last week by Mini that it remains committed to rallying, and that BMW Motorsport would continue to develop the car's 1.6 turbo engine in conjunction with Prodrive – despite Mini ceasing direct financial support for its works team in the World Rally Championship next year.

Prodrive's existing long-term contract with Mini remains unchanged.

This ensures the sales, support and development of the Mini John Cooper Works WRC and S2000 cars, as well as the supply of engines and parts from BMW Motorsport for use by all teams in the World Rally Championship, regional and national rallies over the next five years.

The Prodrive WRC Team has operated as an independent, private team since early this year, and will continue to do so in 2013 with the aim of adding to the three podium places already achieved by Dani Sordo.

"We understand MINI's decision and in the current challenging economic climate it was not unexpected," said Richard Taylor, business development director at Prodrive. "It is, however, good news that MINI remains enthusiastic about the WRC."

BanburyCake

3 days from
£249.00



André Rieu & The Johann Strauss Orchestra

Departs 6 July 2013

Each year André Rieu, the 'Waltz King of Europe' performs a series of concerts in his home town of Maastricht in The Netherlands.

Price includes

- Return by coach travel & Channel crossing
- Two nights' B&B at a good quality standard hotel no more than 90 minutes by coach from Maastricht
- A seated ticket for your André Rieu & The Johann Strauss Orchestra concert on The Vrijthof Square, Maastricht (upgrade tickets available at a supplement)
- Return coach transfers between your hotel and the concert venue
- A visit to Bruges on Day Three
- Services of a Newmarket Tour Manager

www.newmarket.travel/oxs

2 days from
£165.00



James Last & His Orchestra Live in Concert

At The Royal Albert Hall, London

Departs 26 April 2013

An unforgettable evening with The James Last Orchestra and all the magic of the capital!

Price includes

- Coach travel
- One night at a good quality London area hotel
- Continental breakfast
- A ticket for James Last & His Orchestra (face value £45)
- Return hotel-venue transfers
- A visit to Central London on Day Two
- Tour manager services
- Government taxes and Service charges

0844 391 2183 quoting code OXS

Organised & operated by Newmarket Promotions Ltd. ABTA V787X. Subject to availability.
Single supplement applies. Calls cost 4p per minute.

ABTA
The Travel Association

STARS with Claire Petulengro



Service provided by IMS Leeds LS1 8LB. Calls cost 60p per minute at all times

ARIES

Mar 21-Apr 19 Items you buy now are relevant to where your commitments lie. The stars are giving others the impression that you are keeping a very big secret as you grow from within and show the whole world what fun life can be. A sensitive spell midweek could see you misunderstanding others' words and a sense of humour can do much to save you from looking the fool. Call now to reveal all.

0906 585 4360

TAURUS

Apr 20-May 20 You don't have the energy to complete a work matter that you started recently. You can do whatever you set your mind to and it is only due to home pressures that you can't seem to set your pace as you would like. Put home to one side and get the job done. There will be plenty of time to deal with personal issues on Friday. Call now to hear why lies are a no no throughout this week.

0906 585 4361

GEMINI

May 21-Jun 20 Whether or not others feel as strongly for you as you do for them can only be discovered by laying your heart on the line. Don't be frightened. Take your time. Fun and seduction are written in your stars and are sure to make this a month you'll look back upon with pleasure. Payments must be made if you are to have a clear mind. Ring me now to gain control of life and love.

0906 585 4362

CANCER

Jun 21-Jul 22 Close ones are being a little too demanding with their time and with your money. Have you ever thought though Cancer, about saying the words 'no' to someone you really want to turn them but sometimes you have to let people go, especially youngsters, know that life has its limitations. You could be making a rod for your own back if you are not careful. Call me to talk through recent events.

0906 585 4363

LEO

Jul 23-Aug 22 Try to take your life a little slower, you are making the same mistakes again and again due to the speed with which you are trying to complete things. No one will think you are any cleverer, nor will they particularly notice that you were first to the finishing line. Use the help that is on offer from Pisces to gain insight into how to utilise the many skills you possess. Call for clarity and strength.

0906 585 4364

VIRGO

Aug 23-Sep 22 I know that recently there don't seem to be enough hours in the day for you. Nor is their enough of you to go around in the workplace. A lack of communication is evident and you may want to call a meeting of some sort, before your reputation begins to take a battering. Drunks and fools cannot lie, remember this when venturing out at the weekend. Call me and we'll work out a game-plan.

0906 585 4365

LIBRA

Sep 23-Oct 22 You are going to want to spend some time alone this week to sort out how you feel about recent events, but you may have to tell a white lie in order to do so, as friends and family are all vying for your attention since they discovered your recent news. Libra hold valuable news. Call my starline to hear what the weekend has in store for you and how best to utilise those Libran charms.

0906 585 4366

SCORPIO

Oct 23-Nov 21 Arguments which the stars show are occurring can actually be more fun than pain. You should be able to win too, if you are willing to what the other party has to say. This is, in fact, quite a comical week as you are able to tie up matters that last week had you in a spin and how will only have you reeling with laughter. Ring now so I can tell you more about what your future holds.

0906 585 4367

SAGITTARIUS

Nov 22-Dec 21 A new face in the circle should be the key you need to take your career to the next level. Recognise opportunity. Stand up for yourself and don't be bullied by strong characters or attractive faces. Your need to see someone from your past could see you doing something really stupid and it's time to sit down and think about what you may be risking before it is too late. Call me for advice and guidance.

0906 585 4368

CAPRICORN

Dec 22-Jan 19 A flirtation which the stars show out about this time will actually turn out to be a blossoming in disguise. You have been rather overprotective. It says what you want to hear. Fair heart never won fair lady. If you do what you want to do, it will turn out to be a very fulfilling weekend. Passion comes just when you least expect it and three will most definitely be a crowd. Call my starline to get all the details now.

0906 585 4369

AQUARIUS

Jan 20-Feb 18 Loved ones don't seem to be happy with the changes they've made. Don't get defensive and think that it is you they are not happy with. They will soon tell you the source of their discontentment. You may have thought that a new face at work was all talk, but the work that they do this week will show you that they are all action. Call now to hear ways of better handling your family.

0906 585 4370

PISCES

Feb 19-Mar 20 Don't take what is given but sit up and make the changes you want. You are in control of what you do and where you go, your finances are even more favourable than they have been in weeks. Your schedule is getting heavier not lighter, so plan a trip away or even just a relaxing night out, so you can recharge those batteries. Call now to hear why this month is forecast to be more memorable than most.

0906 585 4371

CakeProperty

banburycake.co.uk/homes

A taste of village life

A TASTE of village life in the beautiful north Oxfordshire countryside is available at rentals under £1,000 a month.

A barn conversion in Cropredy offers two double bedrooms, an open-plan lounge/diner and a well-fitted kitchen.

Outside the property, which was converted five years ago, there are views over the Oxford Canal. There is a garden and two off-road parking spaces.

Agents describe it as an "ideal haven" for a professional couple or those looking to share, while a pet would also be considered.

It is available, unfurnished, from

By Gill Oliver

November 1 at £950 a month.

For more information contact agents Let Lucas on 01295 234717.

Meanwhile, an 18th-century cottage in Adderbury is set within walking distance of the village shops and pubs.

It has three bedrooms, two reception rooms and a kitchen with separate utility area. Pets will be considered.

It is available, unfurnished, immediately at £900 a month.

For more information, contact Finders Keepers Banbury office on 01295 276766.



FOR RENT:
This pretty cottage in Adderbury is available for £900 a month

LEIGH
Independent Estate Agents & Property Rentals

www.leighestateagents.co.uk
For a FREE market appraisal and fees.

01295 258254.

6 Horse Fair, Banbury, Oxon, OX16 0AA

£269,950
Richmond Garden

NO CHAIN

- Three bedroom bungalow on a good size plot in a quiet location property offers:- Lounge, kitchen/diner, master bathroom and separate w.c. space in the loft for further conversion, rear garden to front and rear, single garage driveway for several vehicles.

£289,999
Delapre Drive

NEW

- Good sized four bedroom detached home located within easy reach of the town center, M40 and train station entrance hall, wc.
- dining room, conservatory, lounge, kitchen/breakfast room, utility, four bedrooms master with en suite garage and garden.

£225,000
booth road

NO CHAIN

- WE ARE PLEASED TO OFFER THIS MODERN THREE STOREY TOWN HOUSE LOCATED CLOSE TO LOCAL AMENITIES AND PRIMARY SCHOOL ENTRANCE HALL, "WC" OPEN PLAN LOUNGE AND KITCHEN CONSERVATORY *FAMILY BATHROOM* THREE BEDROOMS *MASTER WITH EN SUITE AND DRESSING ROOM* SINGLE GARAGE *NO CHAIN*

£199,950
Woodend

NEW

- This semi detached chalet bungalow in good order through out and offers:- Entrance hall, ground floor bedroom, lounge/diner, kitchen, conservatory, two first floor bedrooms, enclosed rear garden garage and driveway.

£199,950
Morris Drive

NEW

- We are pleased to offer this five bedroom home located within a popular area of Banbury two receptions, kitchen, ground floor w.c., family bathroom, garage parking and gardens, no onward chain

£189,950
Adderbury

NO CHAIN

- Immaculate two bedroom apartment set in the popular village of Adderbury, open plan lounge and kitchen, bathroom, allocated parking, gas central heating, no chain
- plan lounge and kitchen, bathroom, allocated parking, gas central heating, no chain

£250,000
West bar street

NO CHAIN

- SPACIOUS PROPERTY IDEALLY SITUATED WITH A TOWN CENTER LOCATION CURRENTLY SEPARATED INTO TWO FLATS AND IS AN IDEAL INVESTMENT PURCHASE FOR VACANT ACCOMMODATION GARDEN, CELLAR, NO CHAIN
- VIEWING ESSENTIAL TO APPRECIATE THE FULL POTENTIAL OF THIS PROPERTY IN NEED OF WORK

£159,950
Cromwell Road

NEW PRICE

- Three bedroom home set in a private enclosed corner plot offers:- Porch, ground floor bathroom, Lounge, Kitchen, Master bedroom with dressing area & potential for ensuite, enclosed by double gates with ample parking & gardens to front & sides.

£159,950
Tadmarton

PRICE

- Two bedroom cottage located in the village of Tadmarton, kitchen, lounge with open fire, shower room, master bedroom with corner bath and ensuite w.c., further double bedroom, small garden area to rear, street parking, No chain

£120,000
Padbury Drive

NEW PRICE

- This two bedroom ground floor apartment offers:- Lounge/diner, kitchen, main bathroom, ensuite to master bedroom, easy reach of the town center, M40 and the train station, parking all electric NO CHAIN

£229,950
Trinity Close

New Price

- Detached bungalow with versatile accommodation, offering either two receptions or two bedrooms, further attic room ideal for many uses. Good size garden to front and rear.

£89,950
South Street

NO CHAIN

- One bedroom apartment located close to the town center, m40 and train station, hallway, lounge open plan to kitchen with appliances, bedroom with fitted wardrobes, bathroom, allocated parking all electric, double glazed.

£95,950
South Street

PRICE

- OF - ENTRANCE HALL, KITCHEN, LOUNGE, TWO BEDROOMS, SHOWER ROOM, GARDEN, STREET PARKING NO CHAIN

£99,950
Settler House

NEW PRICE

- This ground floor one bedroom flat offers:- Re fitted bathroom/re fitted kitchen/single garage/no chain

£144,500
Beaumaris Close

SSTC 1ST VIEWING

- THREE BEDROOM HOME OFFERS:- ENTRANCE HALL, GROUND FLOOR W.C, LOUNGE/DINER, KITCHEN, FAMILY BATHROOM, ENCLOSED GARDEN, OFF ROAD PARKING, GAS CENTRAL HEATING, DOUBLE GLAZING



Landlords Wanted!!!

You won't pay a penny until your property is let.

The Sign of Professional Letting
www.rentalspecialists.co.uk

01295 234717

banbury@rentalspecialists.co.uk

30 High Street, Banbury, Oxon OX16 5ER

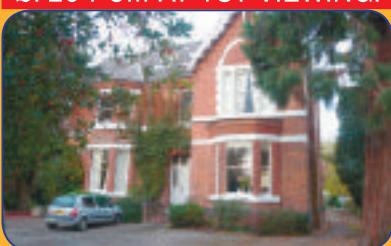
2 BED APARTMENT LET FOR
 £700 PCM AT 1ST VIEWING!



2 BED COTTAGE LET
 FOR £725 PCM IN 1 DAY!



2 BED FLAT LET FOR
 £725 PCM AT 1ST VIEWING!



3 BED SEMI LET FOR
 £850 PCM IN 24 HOURS!



THE PITFALLS OF ENDING A TENANCY WHERE THE TENANT PAID 6 MONTHS RENT IN ADVANCE **Section 21 Notices under The Housing Act 1988**

Maria Lucas, Qualified & Licensed Letting Expert, and Managing Director of Let Lucas Rental Specialists uses her experience to provide some useful tips for landlords.

When the Tenant pays six months of rent in advance under the fixed term Assured Shortterm Tenancy (AST), then the notice period required using section 21 notice to end the tenancy under any subsequent periodic (rolling) AST which subsequently arises will also be for six months, regardless of the payment provisions agreed between the landlord and the tenant for that periodic AST.

This can be a significant issue where, because the tenant's financial status is doubtful, the landlord requires the tenant to pay the first six months rent in advance. Where this happens and the AST has become periodic the landlord will be trapped into having to give a

very long notice period. The tenant will however experience the same problem in having to give the same extended notice period if he/she wishes to bring his/her periodic AST to an end.

This problem can be circumvented by simply granting the AST for a fixed term of six months plus one week with six months rent being payable in advance and the last week's rent separately. If the AST then becomes periodic, the period for which the rent was last paid under the fixed term AST will be one week.

Letting is a complex, specialist field incorporating more than 50 Acts of Parliament and 70 sets of regulations which landlords should be aware of, Contact Maria Lucas, Managing Director of Let Lucas Rental Specialists for a consultation on 01295 234717.

3 BED SEMI LET FOR
 £850 PCM LET IN 4 DAYS!



3 BED HOUSE LET FOR
 £900 PCM AT 1ST VIEWING!



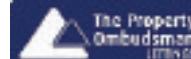
4 BED HOUSE LET FOR
 £1275 PCM AT 1ST VIEWING!



The Sign of
 Professional Letting



We market all properties on the following websites:



SCRIVENER & REINGER

Tel: 01295 257474

72 High Street Banbury OX16 5JG

enquiries@scrivenerandreinger.co.uk

www.scrivenerandreinger.co.uk



**This Halloween don't miss
out on our thriller deals!!**

Call us now on 01295 257474

STUNNING NEW SHOWHOME NOW OPEN



OUTSTANDING, EXTRAORDINARY OX2!

This is a much sought-after postcode and it's not difficult to see why. Cumnor Hill overlooks Oxfordshire's breathtaking countryside where you'll find beautiful meadows, established wildlife and rolling fields. The much anticipated release of our new four and five bedroom homes at Cumnor Heights is part of this beautiful landscape, with many of our detached properties also enjoying a backdrop of ancient woodland.



WELCOME HOME, COME ON IN...

Have you ever imagined living in a home where room labels are a thing of the past? At Cumnor Heights you can enjoy a home where we provide space in abundance with thoughtful design touches. All you have to decide is how to use it!

ADVERTISER'S ANNOUNCEMENT

THE HEART OF EVERY HOME

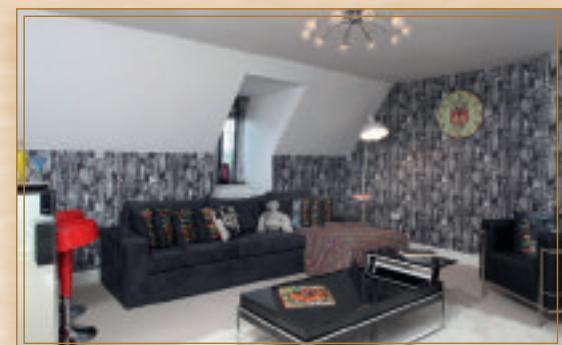
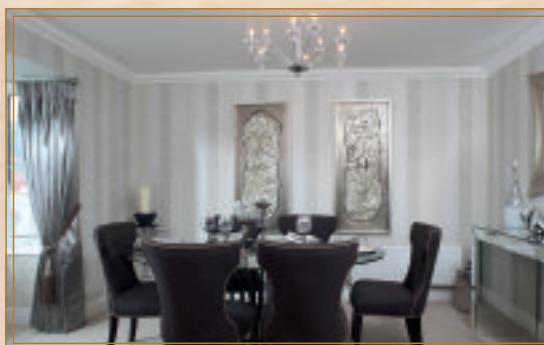
Our kitchens are well planned spaces that reflect how modern families live their lives today. Avid cooks will appreciate the space and luxury features available like built-in steam oven*, built-in microwave, granite work surfaces*, ceramic tiling and integrated appliances.

**FINE DINING, FINE LIVING**

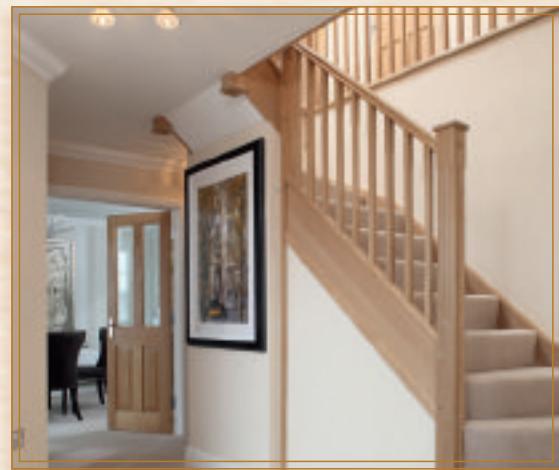
All of our homes have dining rooms that can accommodate up to eight guests in comfort.

ALL THE INGREDIENTS FOR FLEXIBLE LIVING SPACE

Many are accessed via double doors that will help convey a real sense of drama when your table setting is revealed.

**GOING TO WORK AT HOME**

High-speed broadband, smartphone technology and flexible working routines mean more of our customers work from home than ever before. At Cumnor Heights all our homes include a study that is IT enabled and is strategically placed to ensure it is quiet.



Prices from

£549,950 to £799,950

THE ULTIMATE BONUS

This space could be the ultimate TV and cinema room, or a games room with pool table and screen for your Wii. Or your own library where you can lose yourself in a good book. It's yet another example of how Cumnor Heights can provide space that reflects you.

AND SO TO BED

Our master bedroom suites that are a sanctuary from the hustle and bustle of everyday life with generous en suite bathrooms, chill out areas and fitted wardrobes. You'll find your family have also been well catered for. There are even guest suites that include an en suite of their own.

YOU CHOOSE YOUR NEW HOME, LET US DO THE REST

We can recommend solicitors and specialist mortgage brokers to provide tailor-made guidance and advice. We can even refer you to our interior design team who can create a scheme that reflects your lifestyle.

Four and five bedroom detached homes.

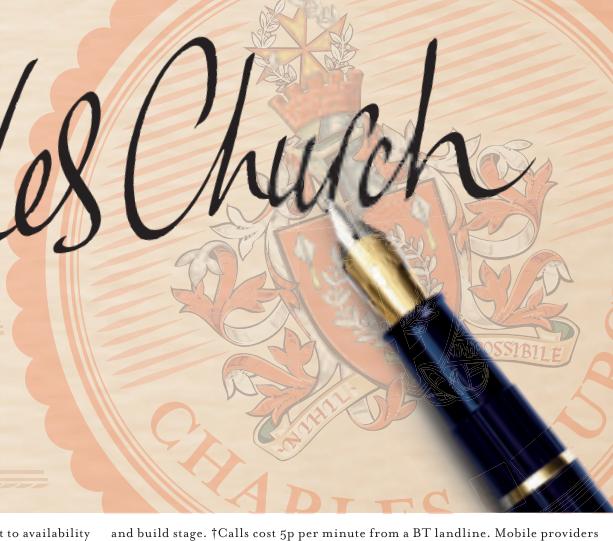
Up to 4% Stamp Duty paid for a limited period.

**CUMNOR HEIGHTS, CUMNOR HILL,
OXFORD, OX2 9PH**

Marketing Suite and Showhome open daily 10am – 5pm.

**TO FIND OUT MORE CALL US ON 08432 082812[†]
OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE charleschurch.com**

Charles Church



► education ► items for sale ► services ► holidays ► leisure
 ► business ► notices ► jobs ► motors ► property

CLASSIFIED

01295 256111

HOW TO BOOK an advertisement

Email/Internet

24 hours/7 days Remember to include a name, address and telephone number. email: banburycake@nqo.com or book online at www.banburycake.co.uk

Telephone

Simply ring **01295 256111** and one of our friendly telephone sales team will be happy to help you with the wording of your advertisement.

Items for sale under £100 can be placed just for the cost of the call.

0906 739 0303 Calls are charged at £1.02 per min. Calls may be recorded or monitored for training purposes.

Free ads cannot be accepted on any other number

Coupon

Complete the appropriate coupon which is located in the relevant section and send it along with your payment to: **Classified Advertising, 13 Market Place, Banbury OX16 5LG**

Fax

The fax number is **01295 268544** (24 hours). Remember to include a name, address and telephone number.

Free ads will only be accepted on the fax line 0906 4031051 (calls cost £1.53 per minute)

Person

Call in our office at **13 Market Place, Banbury OX16 5LG**, or our head office at Osney Mead, Oxford.

Customer Services

To enquire about an advertisement that has appeared, call **01295 256111**

Opening Times

Tel and in person:

9am - 5.30pm Mon-Thurs
 9am - 5pm Friday
 1 - 2pm Closed for Lunch

Cash/cheque/postal orders made payable to Newsquest Oxfordshire

BanburyCake
 62-63 High Street, Banbury

Make it a birthday to remember...
 Call us on 01865 420420
 to place your family announcement

In Memoriam

WALTON MAGDALEN MARY (MIDGE)

20TH OCTOBER 2008

Forever in our hearts
 you will always stay
 Love and remembered
 everyday.

Still miss you mum
 Love you loads
 Janet, Dee & Peter
 and Grandchildren
 XXXX



WHICH WAY WILL YOU GO?

banburycake.co.uk/jobs

banburycake.co.uk/jobs

banburycake.co.uk/jobs



Email: advertising@nqo.com

ITEMS FOR SALE

Antiques

CASH PAID

Unwanted Motorcycles & Scooters

They may be worth more
 than you think.

Phone Alan today on
**01296 661777 or
 07712 622593**

Audio & Hi-Fi

TECHNICS HIFI System, Turntable, Stereo Tuner, Amp, Cassette Decks, CD Player - Mordaunt Short Speakers - Any Offer Considered Tel. - 01295 261597

Baby & Nursery Equipment

MAMAS & PAPAS Barnaby Bear Quilt and Cot Bumper, 100% Pure Cotton Ivory Waffle Trimmed with Chocolate Brown Gingham with Adorable Embroidered Bears, Fits Cot and Cot Bed, 100% Polyester Filling, Immaculate, Wash / Tumble Perfectly, £20.00 Tel. - 01295 253640

BRAND NEW Yummy Mummy Changing Bag In Light Blue Cupcake Design, Complete With Lots Of Pockets For Storage, Mirror, Dummy Holder, Changing Mat And Wet Bag And Detachable Strap, £55.00 Ovno Tel. - 01295 277638 Or 07871 780379

GYMINI Super Deluxe Lights & Music Folding Playmat, Vibrant Colours and Textures, Arch with 5 Detachable Hanging Toys with Rattle Sounds and Jitterpull-toy, Large Mirror, Plays Mozart and Nursery Tunes with Flashing Lights, Machine Washed, £18.00 Tel. - 01295 253640

GRACO Travel Cot, As New £20.00 Tel. - 01869 337594

Bicycles & Accessories

DISNEY PRINCESS Bike Helmet, Pretty Pink with Disney Princesses, 50-56cm, £5.00, (£19.99 New) Tel. - 01295 253640

Bicycles MID

APOLLO CODE Mens Hybrid Bike 18" in VGC £70.00 Tel. - 07791 267068

BMX BIKE pink and grey Apollo £75.00 Tel. - Barbury 07788416624

MAGNER 20" 5 Speed Girls Bike Suit 10-13yr Old £20.00 Tel. - 07963 777762

Camping & Caravans

LYNTON LASER VIP 15ft 3 Berth Caravan, Hot & Cold, 240 / 12v Electrics with Shower & Cooker. Needs some TLC £99.99 Tel. - 07963 777762

Childrens Corner

2 X IKEA White Wooden Childrens Chairs In VGC, Can Be Used Indoors Or Outdoors In A Playhouse £5.00 Tel. - 01295 277638 Or 07871 780379

LITTLE TIKES Evergreen Climbing Frame/Cube With Slide, In VGC With Sunfading To The Slide Only But Other Wise In Mint Condition, Would Make A Great Xmas Present £20.00 Tel. - 01295 277638 Or 07871 780379

Collectables & Fine Arts

WATERFORD Greek Temple Crystal Clock in Box - Unused £45.00 Tel. - 01295 263333 or 07523 967047

Bedrooms & Bedding

DOUBLE HEADBOARD Cream in VGC £25.00 Tel. - 01295 272856

LINDAM Single Folding Bedrail, Free To Take Away Tel. - 01295 257982

SINGLE DAYBED white metal, £80.00 Tel. - Banbury 07788416624

Curtains & Blinds

CROWSENS "Grosvenor" Lined Curtains 12' 4" W x 7' D and 21' W x 5' D Tie Backs and Hooks £50.00 Tel. - 01295 253188

Garden Tools & Equipment

HEDGE CUTTER Jonsered 25cc 2 Stroke Engine Double Sided 19" Cut in GWO £50.00 Tel. - 07768 393172

CHAINSAW 14" Cut RYOBI Runs and Cuts Well in GWO £55.00 Tel. - 07768 393172

KEW GARDEN MATE Pressure Washer in Good Working Order £20.00 Tel. - 07963 777762

ROTAVATOR MINI Eckman 2 Stroke Engine, Runs and Works Well, Clean £65.00 Tel. - 07768 393172

ROTAVATOR QUALCAST 27" DIG 3hp Briggs and Stratton Engine, Good Runner £80.00 Tel. - 07768 393172

Grass Keep

ROTARY MOWER 17" Cut, Honda HRX 426, 5hp, Petrol, Selfdrive, 2005, Little Use in GWO £155.00 Tel. - 07768 393172

Red Hot Bargain

ELECTRIC MOWER FLYMO 330VX Used Only Once £50.00 Tel. - 01295 714126

HONDA Motor Mower in VGC £75.00 Tel. - 01295 253241

Jewellery

TIFFANY & CO Round Stud Earrings with Tiffany & Co New York Engraved on them. With Original Box, Pouch and Bag £35.00 Tel. - 01295 272323

Miscellaneous Sales

"DRTOOLS" Portable Cream Humidifier 20" H x 10" x 13" on Wheels £25.00 Tel. - 01295 253188

12FT WOODEN Extension Ladder. Good condition £45.00 Tel. - 01295 810356

banburycake.co.uk

Fax: **01295 268544**

ITEMS FOR SALE

Mobility



Recare

Are you looking for a stair lift straight or curved, mobility scooter, wheelchair or powered wheelchair. We can also service and repair all the above mobility equipment.

Showrooms at 2 Shipton Road, Woodstock, Oxfordshire, OX20 1LL
Tel: 01993-811891 www.recare.co.uk

Parent & Baby



Sports Equipment

CROSS TRAINER In Good Working Condition £25.00 Tel. - 07845 146388

CROSS TRAINER in Good Working Order £50.00 Tel. - 07969 925061

GRAVITY WALKER in Good Working Order £40.00 Tel. - 07969 925061

SPECIALIST Cycling Leggings, Mens, Navy Blue and Silver, Extra Large. New with Labels £20.00 Tel. - 01295 263333 or 07523 967047

Toys & Games

BRAND NEW ELC Happyland Wobble Along Hedgehog With Fairies, Bought Last Month For My Daughters 3rd Birthday But She Has Never Played With It £10.00 Tel. - 01295 277638 Or 07871 780379

CHILDS Police Motor Bike Electric Charged, Battery Operated £30.00 Tel. - 01295 252341

ELC ACTIVITY CUBE With Shape Sorter And Lights And Sounds £4 01295 277638 Or 07871 780379 Tel. -

TV, Video & DVD

PHILLIPS 23" TV Silver Slimline Digital with Remote Control in GWO £60.00 for Quick Sale Tel. - 01295 254704

Articles Wanted

BARGAINS BYRON CORNER SOFA (SEE ARGOS P.1041) BRAND NEW & PACKAGED CAN DELIVER £275 ALSO

MILANO SOFA (SEE ARGOS P.1046) BRAND NEW & PACKAGED FROM ONLY £180 TEL. 01179159991 MOB. 07825040026

3 PIECE SUITE Oatmeal with Faint Abstract Pattern in V.G.C £130.00 Tel. 01295 272856

Red Hot Bargain

Pets

Any persons who trade in the buying and selling of dogs and cats and wish to advertise must provide a copy of their licence before the first insertion. Potential purchasers are strongly recommended to see the puppy with the mother.

Dogs



JACK RUSSELL TERRIER PUPPIES

2 brown.. 1 brown and white, 3 girls, 6 weeks old, wormed and ready to leave Mum, must go to good homes

240 each
07831 261082

PUBLIC NOTICES

INSOLVENCY ACT 1986

IN BANKRUPTCY

BANBURY COUNTY COURT

No. 209 OF 2007 RE:

ANDREW VINCENT WAGSTAFF

D.O.B.: 26 October 1966

I intend to pay within four months from 12 November 2012 (being the last day for proving) the first and final dividend of 1.3 p.f.

Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must do so by 12 November 2012 otherwise they will be excluded from the dividend. The required proof of debt form is available on the Insolvency Service website (www.bis.gov.uk/insolvency, select "Forms" and then form 6.37). Alternatively, you can contact my office at 2nd Floor, Sunley House, Bedford Park, Croydon, CR9 1TX telephone 020 8681 5166 to supply a form.

Mr B Inglis, Official Receiver and Trustee

Established 1986

Telephone Mike Whelan Banbury (01295) 250893 Mobile 07778 777710

Established 1986

FM&B

Chris Herbert

Building Contractors

All general building work

including extensions

UPVC Windows, Doors, Fascias

and Guttering

Kitchens & Bathrooms

Block Paved Driveways

Tel: 01295 276673

07775 988448

24/7

Advertise

Online

24/7

Carpentry & Joinery

GROSSI Ltd

Carpentry, Joinery,

Maintenance & Builder

Complete Bathrooms & Kitchens.

Quality and Prompt Service,

Free Estimates

Established Since 1978

Phone: 01295 721100 Mobile: 07721 383997

Email: tony@grossis.fsnet.co.uk

SERVICES

YOUR LOCAL SERVICES

Building & Decorating



Extensions, renovations & property maintenance

- Loft Conversions
- Extensions & improvements
- UPVC Windows
- Fascias & Guttering
- Bathroom & Kitchens
- Plumbing & Renewables
- Hard Landscaping

T: 01295 257655

M: 07875 948468

Freefoam Registered Fascia and Gutter Installers with 30 Year Guarantee

Carpet Cleaning

PRO-CLEAN

Family Business

Quality cleaning of carpets & upholstery. Domestic & Commercial.

Not part of a franchise or national company.

We take pride in the high quality personal service only a truly local company can offer.

Contact Neil for a free no obligation quotation

(01295) 701391 (07958) 966653

proclean@post.com

www.pro-clean.org

Computer

LAPTOP & COMPUTER

Server, Set up, Repairs, Data Recovery, Internet, Network, Virus, Home / Office Computer Problems, 7 days services from £30.00 No Fix No Fee, FREE QUOTE Qualified & Experienced www.SpeedyITSupport.co.uk 01295 236292

CLASSIFIED

01865 420420

Electricians

R W CURRION ELECTRICAL

Domestic & Commercial

- New Sockets/Lights
- Extensions
- Fuse Board Upgrade
- Kitchen Electrics
- Bathroom Electrics
- Rewires/Newbuilds
- Maintenance
- Testing & Inspecting
- PAT Testing

T: 01295 265414

M: 07740 100378

enquiries@rwcurrion-electrical.co.uk

www.rwcurrion-electrical.co.uk

To advertise your articles for sale or general services Telephone: 01865 420420 reception@nqo.com

Computer

Andy's Computer Services

Repairs

Upgrades

Virus Removal

PC Health Check

Tel: 01295 712671 or 07867 878098

Your friendly PC Doctor

www.acservices.plus.com

Established 1986

FM&B

Double Glazing Repairs

Driveways

Established 1986

FM&B

WAYNE WALSH DRIVEWAYS

Established 1986

FM&B

SERVICES

YOUR LOCAL SERVICES

Fencing Services

HOME MAINTENANCE

S.R.D FENCING AND PATIOS

Fencing, landscaping, patios, paths, decking, drives, shingle, garden clearance, guttering, brick walls.

No job too small

For free quote call Danny on

01295 271210 or 07989 774289

QUOTE BANBURY CAKE FOR YOUR

10% DISCONT

www.srdfencing.co.uk

Home Services

**HANDY MACK
BANBURY
CROSS
FENCING
& PAVING**

- All types of fencing supplied and fixed
- Guttering cleared
- Groundwork • Slabbing
- Turf supplied and laid
- Shed supplied and erected
- All small trees lopped
- All at reasonable rates fully insured.

01295 279713

07905483654

www.banburycrossfencing.co.uk

Fencing Services

First Call Fencing

07511-955993

1st 4 fencing-decking-paving
1st 4 fully treated timber & quality
1st 4 customer care & service
1st 4 Value!!

"For all your requirements make us
your 1st call"
firstcallfencing@gmail.com
Fully insured-free
quotations-testimonials provided.

**Cherwell
FENCING**
professional fencing contractors
Close Board Specialist, Gates, Decking
and Security Fencing.
Fully Insured, for a FREE no obligation quote or advice please call
01295 758330 / 07828 129907
www.cherwellfencing.co.uk

Pest Control

**BANBURY
PEST
CONTROL**

GUARANTEED
TO BEAT ANY
WRITTEN QUOTE

**WASPS, ANTS, FLEAS,
FLIES, RATS, MICE,
COCKROACHES,
BEDBUGS**

Discount for OAP's



**07838368700
01295255860**

www.banburypestcontrol.co.uk

Health & Fitness

Are you flu safe? Get the jab!

**"You'd do
everything you
can to protect
your baby..."**

People often don't realise that flu can be a serious illness. If you're pregnant, flu can knock you off your feet for weeks, and you are more at risk of flu complications such as pneumonia.

A flu jab is quick, safe and free. To book your jab, speak to your GP practice today.



NHS

www.nhs.uk/flu

**ADVERTISE
ONLINE 24/7**
banburycake.co.uk

Advertise
Online

24/7

General Services

PALMERS

SINCE 1961

SMALL JOBS - REPAIRS**- BLOCKAGES**

WE WILL CHARGE 75 QUID FOR
A 75 QUID JOB, BUT NOT 75 QUID
FOR A 25 QUID JOB.
THATS WHY WE HAVE FAITHFUL
REGULAR CLIENTS.
ITS AS SIMPLE AS THAT

**07932 567791 - 01295 263620
IF UNDER £60 - CASH PREFERRED**

Ironing Services

**Smartipants
Ironing Service**

- Professional Service
 - Experienced Conscientious Staff
 - Fully Insured
 - Collection and Delivery Included
 - 24/48 hour turnaround
- Email smartipants@btinternet.com
Tel 0778 785 8775 01295 675294
www.smartipantsironing.co.uk

Painters and
Decorators**D.L.C
Painters &
Decorators**

Limited

brian@bjones69.wanadoo.co.uk

Please call Brian

Tel:

01295 270313

Mobile:

07719 820272

Plastering
Services**W D
WHITTERN**

Plastering & Dry Lining

Coving & Cornice

Insurance Work

Taken On

Call Darren

01235 847789

Evening Number

Plumbing & Heating

MT Plumbing & Tiling

M: 07973 923362 T: 01295 720075

- Bathrooms
- Cylinders
- Wetrooms
- Radiators
- Showers
- Taps
- Water Softeners
- Ball Valves
- Wall Tiling
- Floor Tiling

Full Installation Service

T. BARRY

All aspects of plumbing work undertaken

Central heating

Boiler changes

Corgi registered

Emergency - Service

Mobile: 07976 280035

**CLASSIFIED
ADVERTISING**

**01295
256111**

Telecommunications

**TELEPHONE
ENGINEER**

- New Telephone Sockets For Sky or Broadband
- Faults & Broadband Problems Fixed
- On-Line Gaming / Data Connections
- Re-Wires & Cosmetic Tidy-Ups
- Broadband speeds checked

Excellent Service at Unbeatable Rates
By Ex BT Engineer.

Call Graeme
01295 751956 or 07918 174822
www.banburytelecoms.co.uk

OPENING HOURS

Mon-Thur 9am - 5.30pm

Fri 9am - 5pm

01295 256 111



www.banburycake.co.uk

SERVICES**YOUR LOCAL SERVICES**

Trees & Timber

P. BRADLEY

FREE Quotes Any Time
Council Contractor
10 million Public Liability Insurance Emergency Work.
TREE FELLING / SURGERY / HEDGES CUT etc...
50 years in Business

01295 264716 / 07768 527162

Trees and Timber

TREETOPS.COM LTD

Tree surgery by NPTC qualified staff
For free, no obligation quotations contact

Mr Timothy C. Rose

Council Approved Contractors
5 million pound public liability insurance
Wood chip sales

Telephone/Answer/Fax: 01295 262247
www.treetops.uk.com

TV and Video Services**TV and Video Services****TRICOLOUR AERIALS**

installations of
Aerials-FM Aerials
Satellites
Extra points and TV
Links so you can control your
digibox on other TVs
Supply Freesat HD & SD

Phone Nigel on
01295 258595
Mobile: 07970 921454

TV & LCD Repairs

- Aerial installation and repairs
 - Microwaves & all domestic repairs
 - No call out charge
 - Free estimates
- Phone Roger Morley
01295-770076 eve.
01789-269-078 day

Advertise Online
24/7
www.banburycake.co.uk

Upholstery

BUBBLES
BANBURY CARPET CLEANING

OAPS
10%
Discount

- Lounge • Dining Room
- Stairs and Landing
- Bedroom • Flea Treatment
- Sofa and Upholstery cleaning please enquire

T: 01295 250853 M: 07947 160798
E: p.g.southall@btconnect.com
www.bubbles-cleaning.co.uk

Advertise Online**24/7**www.banburycake.co.uk**JOB****The Warriner School**

A Specialist Technology College
With a Rural Dimension
International School Status 2006-2012
11-16 Mixed Comprehensive: 1140 on roll
Bloxham, Oxon OX15 4LJ
Telephone: (01295) 720777 • Fax: (01295) 721676
E-mail: recruitment.4007@warriner.oxon.sch.uk

Teaching Assistant

"Students are considerate, courteous and respectful to each other and to staff. The proportion of students attaining five or more A*-C grades including mathematics and English is high" Ofsted May 2012

We are seeking to recruit a Teaching Assistant to work 29.5 hours per week, term-time only. The salary is Grade 4, Points 11-13, £14,733 - £15,444 pro-rata. Experience of working with students on the autistic spectrum is essential.

This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

Details of the post and an application form are available from Mrs Trish Morgan, PA to Headteacher.

Closing Date: Thursday 25th October at 1pm
Interview date: Friday 16th November

CLASSIFIED 01865 420420**PROPERTY**

“PROPERTY IS ON THE MOVE”

The Oxford Times Property

It's now even easier to search for property from your iPhone or iPad. Simply download the...

FREE OXFORD TIMES PROPERTY APP
Available now from the iTunes Store



Scan this QR code
with your iPhone or
iPad to download
our App for free.

**ENTERTAINMENTS**

► Antique & Craft Fairs

ABINGDON CONTEMPORARY CRAFTS FOR CHRISTMAS SHOW

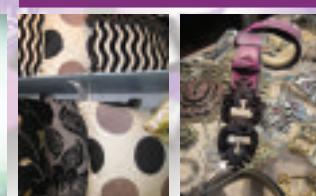
A truly magnificent shopping experience

**01785 245312 or 214400**

All your arts & crafts
in one easy location

18th - 21st**25th - 28th****OCTOBER 2012**

Medieval Abbey Buildings,
Abingdon, OX14 3JB



Opening Hours & Entry	
Thursday	10.00-5.00
Friday	10.00-5.00
Saturday	10.00-5.00
Sunday	10.00-4.30
Entrance	£4.30
Concessions	£3.30
Children	£2.00

www.acfcraftfairs.com

Please present this coupon on entry to receive your discount.

Name: _____
Address: _____
Email: _____

A ‘One-Day-Monday’ Antiques Fair at-

Newbury
Antiques & Collectors Fair

Monday 22 Oct

8am - 10am £10 • 10am onwards £5

To obtain '2for1' admission after 10am
visit www.iacf.co.uk/offers

NEWBURY RACECOURSE
Newbury, Berks RG14 7NZ**iacf** 01636 702326 www.iacf.co.uk/offers**Car Boot Sales**

CAR BOOT SALE

BODICOTE FLYOVER FARM SHOP
SUNDAY 7TH OCTOBER
(Gates open from 7.30am for set up)
01295 270789
www.bodicoteflyoverfarmshop.co.uk

£6 per pitch

For all your
ENTERTAINMENT
advertising call our
team on
01295 256111

PRESTIGE, PERFORMANCE & 4 WHEEL DRIVE SALES



**ONLY
£11,799**



**ONLY
£6,799**



**ONLY
£6,999**



**ONLY
£6,999**



**ONLY
£5,199**

Honda CRV TDI EX 2.2 Diesel, 2007/57, Metallic Grey, 55,000 mls, leather, pdc, alloys, air con, sat nav, cruise control, roof rails,

Toyota Rav 4 2.0 XT 5 Dr, 2005/55, Metallic Silver, 33,000 mls, air con, CD, r/lock, tints, roof rails,

Toyota IQ VVTI 2, 2009/59, Pearl White, 28,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, keyless entry, colour pack

Saab 9.3 Aero Convertible, 2006/56, Brilliant Black, 62,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, e/roof, tint

Peugeot 407 3.0 Coupe 6 Spd, 2005/55, Metallic Silver, leather, air con, h/seats, CD, cruise



**ONLY
£9,499**



**ONLY
£10,499**



**ONLY
£26,999**



**ONLY
£7,999**



**ONLY
£7,999**

Volkswagen Eos 20 TDI Sport, 2007, Metallic Blue, 52,000 mls, leather, air con, h/seats, pdc, e/roof

BMW 318i 2.0 SE, 2007/57, Metallic Grey, 18,000 mls, climate control, CD, alloys, tints, r/stereo, pdc

Landrover Range Rover 3.6 TD6 Vogue Auto, 2008, Brilliant Black, 53,000 mls, leather, sat nav, e/memory seats, telephone, heated seats, plus much more

BMW 320 2.5 SE Automatic, 2005, Metallic Blue, 44,000 mls, climate control, alloys, CD, cruise

Nissan Navara 2.5 DI 4WD Crew Cab, 2004, Metallic Blue, 23,000 mls, air con, alloys, side steps, tow bar

ALFA

Alfa Romeo 159 2.4 JTDM Lusso, 2008, Brilliant Black, 60,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock £7999

AUDI

Audi A3 1.4 T FSI SE, 2009/59, Brilliant Black, 25,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, tints, start stop £11999
Audi A3 2.0 TDI SE Sportback 170, 2008/58, Light Met Blue, 65,000 mls, leather, climate control, CD, alloys, tints, r/lock £14999
Audi A4 1.8 Sport Auto Convertible, 2007/57, Brilliant Black, 71,000 mls, climate, alloys, e/roof, leather £14999

Audi A4 TDI 163 Sport Auto Convertible, 2004/54, Metallic Grey, 66,000 mls, leather, climate control electric roof, alloys, CD £7799

Audi A4 2.0 TFSI S Line Convertible, 2007, Metallic Silver, 49,000 mls, leather, climate control, alloys, CD, electric roof, r/lock £11499

Audi A4 2.0 TDI 170 S Line, 2007, Metallic Grey, 41,000 mls, climate control, alloys, CD, r/lock, tints £10999

Audi A6 2.0 TDI DPF Auto SE, 2007, Metallic Grey, 59,000 mls, climate control, alloys, CD, r/lock, air bags, cruise control £8899

Audi A6 Avant 4.2 Quattro SE Estate, 2006/55, Metallic Blue, 80,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD roof rails, tints £8499

Audi A8 3.8 V8 TDI Quattro Tip, 2004/54, Metallic Silver, 63,000 mls, sat nav, leather, CD, climate control wood pack, e/seats, heated seats, plus much more £11399

BMW

BMW 318i 2.0 SE, 2007/57, Metallic Grey, 18,000 mls, climate control, CD, alloys, tints, r/stereo, pdc £104997

BMW 325 CI SE Coupe, 2004/54, Brilliant Black, 70,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, cruise, r/lock £5499

BMW 320 Saloon, 2007/57, Metallic Silver, 69,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, tints, rear rests £7999

BMW 320 2.5 SE Automatic, 2005, Metallic Blue, 44,000 mls, climate control, alloys, CD, cruise £5999

BMW 330Ci Sport Convertible, 2003, Metallic Silver, 78,000 mls, leather, CD, air con, alloys, e/roof £4999

BMW Z4 2.5 Se Auto, 2005/55, Metallic Silver, 30,000 mls, leather, heated seats, CD, e/roof, alloys £6999

BMW Z4 2.2 SE Convertible, 2005, Metallic Red, 75,000 mls, leather, alloys, CD, e/roof, tints, chrome £11999

BMW 535 Diesel SE Auto Estate, 2007, Metallic Grey, 56,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, leather, cruise £13699

BMW 535 Diesel SE Auto, 2007, Metallic Grey, 57,000 mls, leather, sat nav, alloys, climate, cruise, pdc new model, £13699

BMW 730 Diesel Spout Auto, 2005, Metallic Grey, 74,000 mls, leather, sat nav, cruise, alloys, CD, electric seats, r/lock, wood pack, £10499

CITREON

Citroen C8 2.2 Diesel Exclusive, 2006, Metallic Grey, 46,000 mls, air con, CD, 7 seats, r/lock, tints, alloys £6499

CHRYSLER

Chrysler Lacetti 1.6 SX Estate, 2007, Metallic Blue, 36,000 mls, air con, CD, r/lock, tints, folding seats £3299

Chrysler Voyager 2.4 SE, 2005/55, Brilliant Black, 77,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, 7 seats, roof rails, £4499

Chrysler Grand Voyager 2.8 CRD, 2007/57, Metallic Silver, 56,000 mls, 7 seats, e/doors, tints, rear entertainment, CD, air con, pdc, cruise control, £8499

DAIHATSU

Daihatsu Terios SE Auto, 2007/57, Brilliant Black, 48,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, tints, f/seats £7399

JEEP

Jeep Grand Cherokee 3.0 CRD Auto Limited, 2005/55, Metallic Silver Mink, 75,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD cruise, wood pack, heated seats, e/seat, r/lock, tilt wheel, air bags £8599

Jeep Grand Cherokee Ltd Diesel, 2007/57, Brilliant Black, 49,000 mls, leather, CD, alloys, r/lock, tints, air con £10499

Jeep Cherokee 2.8 CRD Sport Automatic, 2006/56, Metallic Blue, 31,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, roof bars, r/lock £7299

JAGUAR

Jaguar X Type 2.2 Diesel Sovereign Estate, 2006, Metallic Green, 84,000 mls, sat nav, leather, air con, alloys, CD, roof rails, tints, r/lock, £8499

Jaguar XJ 4.2 Supercharged LWB Auto, 2005/55, Brilliant Black, 60,000 mls, leather, sat nav, dvt, rear, electric memory everything plus much more, cost new over 70k £12799

KIA

Kia Sedona 2.9 CRD LS MPV, 2006/56, Metallic Blue, 56,000 mls, 7 seats, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock £6299

Kia Sorrento 2.5 Diesel Manual, 2008, Metallic Grey, 71,000 mls, air con, CD, alloys, r/lock, tints £8499

Kia Sorrento 2.5 Diesel XE 5 DR Auto, 2004, Metallic Blue, 42,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, air bags £6999

LANDROVER

Landrover Freelander 1.8 XE, 2005, Brilliant Black, 63,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, sunroof, e/window £4499

Landrover Freelander 2.0 TD4 Sport, 2006, Metallic Silver, 56,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, £7999

Landrover Range Rover 3.6 TD6 Vogue Auto, 2008, Brilliant Black, 53,000 mls, leather, sat nav, e/memory seats, telephone, heated seats, plus much more, £26999

Landrover Range Rover Vogue SE Auto, 2007, Metallic Silver, 30,000 mls, leather, sat nav, climate, tv, telephone, sunroof, pdc, cruise, heated steering wheel, £27999

LEXUS

Lexus IS 250 SE-L, 2009/58, Metallic Blue, 9,000 mls only, leather, air con, alloys, CD, cruise, h/seats, £12999

Lexus SC 430 Convertible, 2003, Metallic Grey, 38,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, 1 owner, e/roof pdc, cruise, stunning vehicle, £12499

FORD

Ford Street Ka 1.6 Convertible, 2005, Metallic Green, 36,000 mls, leather, alloys, CD, e/windows, fogs £3499

Ford Street Ka 1.6 Convertible, 2003/53, Metallic Silver, 17,000 mls, alloys CD, convertible roof, £3699

Ford Focus 1.6 ZT C, 2005/55, Metallic Blue, 18,000 mls, alloys, air con, CD, tints, r/lock, £5499

Ford Focus 2.0 CC Convertible, 2008/58, Metallic Silver, 30,000 mls, air con, electric roof, CD, air bag £7499

Ford Galaxy 1.8 Zetec TDCi Diesel, 2007/57, Metallic Blue, 53,000 mls, 7 seats, air con, alloys, CD, £9499

Ford Mondeo 2.5 GHD 5dr, 2001/51, Metallic Silver, 48,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, tints, £2499

HONDA

Honda Civic 1.4 i DSI ES IMA Hybrid CVT, 2008/58, Metallic Grey, 32,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, tints, £8399

Honda Jazz 1.4 DSI SE, 2007/57, Metallic Silver, 16,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, e/windows, e/mirrors £6499

Honda Jazz 1.3 DSI Sport CVT, 2006/55, Metallic Blue, 27,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, tints, £5999

Honda Accord 2.4 EX Auto, 2007, Metallic Black, 69,000 mls, leather, CD, air con, alloys, sat nav, tints £6499

Honda CRV VTi Executive Auto, 2004/54, Metallic Grey, 62,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, nav £6499

Honda CRV TDI EX 2.2 Diesel, 2007/57, Metallic Grey, 55,000 mls, leather, pdc, alloys, air con, sat nav, cruise control, roof rails, £11799

MAZDA

Mazda MX5 Convertible 1.8, 2006/56, Brilliant Black, 66,000 mls, alloys, CD, r/lock, tints, air bags £5999

Mazda CX7 2.3T, 2009/58, Metallic Blue, 43,000 mls, air con, alloys CD, r/lock, tints, pdc, air bags, £9499

MITSUBUSHI

Mitsubishi Shogun 3.2 Di Elegance Diesel Auto, 2005/55, Met. Blue, leather, alloys CD, cruise, 7 seats air con, r/lock, fog, £9499

Mitsubishi Shogun Diesel Euphore, 2003, Metallic Grey, 85,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, 7 seats, £9499

Mitsubishi Outlander DD Elegance 2007/57, Brilliant Black, 45,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, air bags, roof rails, folding seats, 7 seats, £11899

Mitsubishi Shogun LWB Auto Diamond Diesel, 2008, Metallic Grey, 46,000 mls, leather, 7 seats, sat nav cruise control, rear entertainment, CD, sunroof, r/lock, alloys, £16299

MERCEDES

Mercedes A150 Classic SE 5 dr, 2008/58, Metallic Silver, 20,000 mls, air con, CD, r/lock,tints, folding seats, £6999

Mercedes A Class A170 Elegance SE, 2006/56, Metallic Grey, 51,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, £5999

Mercedes B Class 150 Sport, 2008/58, Metallic Silver, 34,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, tints, £5999

Mercedes C181.8 Kompressor SE Coupe Auto, 2003, Metallic Silver, 36,000 mls, Leather, air con, panoramic sunroof, CD, air bags, cruise, speed limiter, £4999

Mercedes C280 3.0 Elegance Auto Estate, 2008, Metallic Red, 71,000 mls, leather, alloys, air con, cruise control, r/lock, speed limiter, £11999

Mercedes C200 Sport Diesel Avantgarde Estate, 2009/59, Metallic Silver, 48,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, cruise control, £10999

Mercedes C200 2.1 Elegance new model, 2007/57, Metallic Silver, 61,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, cruise control, £10999

Mercedes C220 Avantgarde SE Auto Estate, 2007, Metallic Silver, 54,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, £9999

Mercedes CLK 320 Avantgarde Auto Coupe, 2003, Metallic Silver, 83,000 mls, leather, alloys, CD, cruise, speed limiter, £5599

Mercedes Benz CLK 270 CDI Avantgarde Coupe, 2004, Metallic Silver, 80,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, r/lock, cruise control, £6699

Mercedes Benz CLK 200 Kompressor Elegance Auto, 2002/52, Metallic Silver, 50,000 mls, leather, cruise control, speed limiter, pdc, CD player, alloys £6999

Mercedes Benz CLK 230K Avantgarde Convertible Auto, 2003/52, Metallic Silver, 52,000 mls, leather, CD, cruise, e/roof, tints, alloys, £9699

Mercedes CLK 280 3.0 Avantgarde Convertible, 2006, Brilliant Black, 76,000 mls, leather, CD, air con, alloys, e/roof, cruise control, £10299

Mercedes E Class 240 Elegance Auto, 2004/54, Metallic Silver, 77,000 mls, leather, air bags, CD, cruise, speed limiter, £6499

Mercedes E320CDI Auto Diesel, 2005/55, Metallic Blue, 57,000 mls, leather, sat nav, pdc, cruise, speed limiter, amg alloys, rear headrests, r/lock, tints, £9699

Mercedes E270 CDI Avantgarde Auto 2003/53, Brilliant Black, 56,000 mls, climate control, alloys CD player, pdc, rear rests, leather, pan roof, £8499

Mercedes E220 2.2 CDI Executive, 2007/57, Metallic Silver, 38,000 mls, leather, CD, alloys, cruise control, speed limiter, e/seats, new model, £11999

Mercedes Benz SLK 200 Auto Kompressor, 2004, Metallic Silver, 53,000 mls, leather, air bags, e/roof, memory seats, £7699

Mercedes SLK 230 Kompressor, 1999, Metallic Silver, 74,000 mls, leather, electric roof, CD player Air con, £4799

Mercedes Benz SLK 200 Kompressor Auto, 2003, Metallic Silver, 29,000 mls, leather, alloys, e/roof, r/lock, CD player, tilt wheel, £8399

Mercedes Benz S 250 SL Auto, 2004/54, Metallic Blue, 76,000 mls, leather, sat nav, alloys, CD, cruise control, panoramic roof, pdc, speed control, aluminum pack, £13499

Mercedes Benz SL 500 Auto Convertible, 2002, Metallic Blue, 80,000 mls, leather, alloys, CD, cruise sat nav, e/roof, memory seats, 9 service stamps, stunning car only, £11499

Mercedes SL 350 Convertible, 2001, Brilliant Black, 16,000 mls, leather, sat nav, alloys, CD, cruise, electric roof, pdc, heated seats, electric seals, £29999

Mercedes Benz R Class R350 Sport Auto, 2007, Brilliant Black, 71,000 mls, climate control, rear entertainment, cruise control, £12999

Mercedes ML 320 CDI SE Auto, 2005/55, Brilliant Black, 53,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, e/roof, tints, fog, £13799

Mercedes Benz SLK 280 Auto Convertible, 2007/57, Metallic Silver, 45,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, e/roof, tints, fog, £12999

MINI Cooper Convertible, 2007, Metallic Blue, 29,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, e/roof, CD, roll bars £9499

MINI Cooper S Convertible, 2007/57, Metallic Blue, 35,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, e/roof, tints, rear rests, £4999

MITSUBISHI Colt 1.5 CZC Turbo Convertible, 2006/56, Metallic Blue, 53,000 mls, air con, alloys, CD, e/roof, tints, rear rests, £4999

NISSAN Nisan X Trail 2.5 Columbia, 2007, Metallic Silver, 52,000 mls, air con, sunroof, tints, CD, roof rails, alloys, £7999

Nissan Navara 2.5 D 4WD Crew Cab, 2004, Metallic Blue, 23,000 mls, air con, alloys, side steps, tow bar, £7999

Nissan Navara 2.5 D 4WD Crew Cab, 2004, Metallic Silver, 106,000 mls, air con, alloys, truckman, £4999

PORSCHE Porsche Boxster 2.7 Convertible Face Lift Mod, 2005, Metallic Silver, 49,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, e/roof, r/lock, electric rear spoiler, air bags, £11999

Porsche Boxster 2.7 Convertible, 2001/51, Brilliant Blue, 60,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, e/roof, £7899

Porsche Boxster 3.2 S Convertible, 2001/51, Metallic Blue, 57,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, e/roof, £8899

Porsche Boxster 3.2 S, 2004, Metallic Silver, 63,000 mls, leather, air con, alloys, CD, e/roof, £9499

Porsche 911 3.6 Targa, 2003/53, Metallic Silver, 62,000 mls, leather, sat nav, alloys, CD, telephone, cruise split rim alloys, electric panoramic sunroof, electric rear boot spoiler, fog, £17999

Porsche 911 Carrera 4 3.6 Tiptronic S Convertible, 2002, Metallic Silver, 47,000 mls, leather, sat nav, alloys, CD, electric roof,

Helping you stay mobile

Make more of every day with your new Suzuki from Sportif...

£0*
advance
payment



£199*
advance
payment

Motability
The leading car finance for disabled people

Over 20 Suzuki models now available on Nil advance payment. Ask for details.

SUZUKI
SMALL CAR
EXPERTS



Includes

Insurance
Road Tax
Servicing
Maintenance

Suzuki
Splash
Nil
advance payment*

Suzuki
Swift
Nil
advance payment*

Suzuki
SX4 SZ5 4X4
£199
advance payment*



Sportif Suzuki

Witney Road, Long Hanborough, Witney
Oxfordshire, OX29 8BJ
Telephone: 01993 883114
www.suzuki.co.uk/sportif

Specialist adaptation advice available.

Suzuki range fuel consumption figures in mpg (L/100km) Urban from 51.4 - 42.2 (5.5 - 6.7) extra urban from 74.3 - 62.8 (3.8 - 4.5) combined from 64.2 - 54.3 (4.4 - 5.2) CO₂ emissions from 103 - 122 g/km. All offers subject to availability at your local participating Suzuki dealership. Images used for illustration purposes only. *Exclusive offer for drivers receiving disability allowance.

9.9% APR TYPICAL* WWW.PONTINGSBANBURY.CO.UK - CALL NOW 01295 812233 

WE STILL SAY YES TO CAR FINANCE PLUS

① YOUR CAR AS FULL DEPOSIT ✓ ② BUY NOW, PAY JAN 2013 ✓
③ PAYMENTS FROM £10 A WEEK ✓



PONTINGS

**CAN'T GET CAR FINANCE?
WE CAN HELP!**

CCJ'S & DEFAULTS

LOW DEPOSIT

OLD CAR AS FULL DEPOSIT

FULL OR PART TIME JOB

UK OR EU DRIVING LICENCE

PAYMENTS TO FIT YOUR BUDGET

NO PROBLEM

NO PROBLEM

NO PROBLEM

NO PROBLEM

NO PROBLEM

NO PROBLEM

**CALL US. OR CALL IN TO FIND OUT
HOW WE CAN HELP**

AYNHO ROAD, ADDERBURY, BANBURY OX16 3NY

FINANCE HOTLINE 01295 812233

120 CARS IN GROUP STOCK

www.pontingsbanbury.co.uk

*Typical Finance example: Cash Price £3999, deposit off £1,000, balance to finance £2999 plus charges for finance £100. Payable by 59 monthly payments of £51.31 plus one final payment of £195.31, total amount payable £1098.60, 9.9% APR. Credit provided subject to status, guarantees and indemnities may be required. Terms and conditions apply.

SUZUKI

Way of Life!

VISIT US - AYNHO ROAD, ADDERBURY, BANBURY OX17 3NY OPEN 7 DAYS

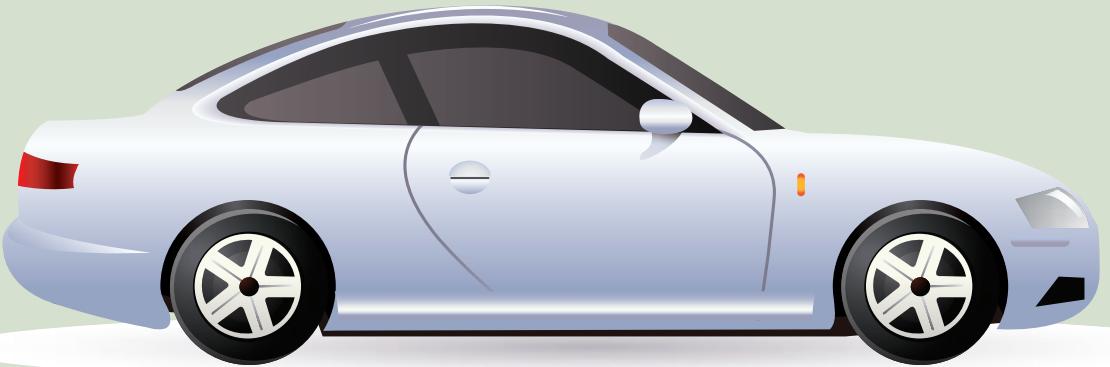
ALSO LARGE CHOICE OF SMALL HATCHBACK CARS UPTO £3000!!

VEHICLE OF SPECIAL INTEREST

1991 J VOLKSWAGEN LT31 MOTOR HOME - ORIGINAL DEVON CONVERSION INCLUDING SINK, COOKER, FRIDGE AND FREEZER, TV DISH, CD PLAYER, TWIN BEDS, 48000 MILES FROM NEW WITH ALL OLD MOT'S/A CLASSIC CAMPER! £9999



SELL YOUR CAR



Your advert can appear in 9 newspapers across **Oxfordshire** and **Wiltshire** reaching over **400,000** readers and online to nearly **1 million** potential buyers across the UK.

BOOKING IS EASY

Telephone: 01865 420420

Online: oxfordmail.co.uk/advertise

Newsquest Oxfordshire, Osney Mead, Oxford OX2 0EJ

oxfordmail.co.uk/advertise

From as little as

£9.99

Terms and conditions apply
(other packages available)

EXAMPLE OF ADVERT

VW GOLF 1.4
LIMITED EDITION



5 Door Manual,
Petrol, 70,000
miles, met black,
FSH, alloys, CD,
Ltd ed, Long MOT,
electric windows,
central locking

01865 420420

£6,999

NB: PRIVATE
ADVERTISERS ONLY

The Oxford Times

HERALD
SERIES

Banbury
CAKE

Witney Gazette

Bicester
Advertiser

Gazette & Herald

OXFORD
MAIL

Wiltshire Times

Swindon Advertiser

ExchangeandMart.co.uk

LOOKING FOR
0% APR
REPRESENTATIVE?

5 YEARS
0%
FINANCE

AVEO 1.2 LS
£9,595
ONLY £144 p/m

over 60 months/with £959 deposit



ONLY
10%
DEPOSIT

CRUZE 1.6 LS
£13,175
ONLY £198 p/m

over 60 months/
with £1,318 deposit



SPARK 1.0 LS
£8,485
ONLY £127 p/m

over 60 months/with £849 deposit



Drive away a New Chevrolet from **ONLY £99** a month including a **5 YEAR WARRANTY - 0% REPRESENTATIVE APR FINANCE** also available*

THIS WEEKS COUNTY SPECIALS - SAVE UP TO £1,000



Chevrolet Cruze
1.6 LS, Silver,
Manual, Delivery mls
WAS £10,995 NOW £9,995
SAVE £1,000



VW Beetle
2.0, Silver,
Manual, 46k mls
WAS £3,495 NOW £2,995
SAVE £500



Insignia Estate
SRi, 160, CDTI, Black
Auto, 50,000 mls
WAS £10,495 NOW £9,995
SAVE £500

Year	Model	Miles	Was	Now	Save	Year	Model	Miles	Was	Now	Save
2011 / 11	Chevrolet Orlando 2.0 VCDI, Auto, LTZ, Exec Model, Grey	18k	£15,495	£14,995	£500	2005 / 05	Hyundai Getz, 1.1 Gsi, 5 dr, Black	66k	£3,295	£2,995	£300
2012 / 12	Chevrolet Cruze 1.6LS, 5dr, Manual, Silver	Del Miles	£10,995	£10,495	£500	2004 / 04	Vauxhall Corsa Energy, 3dr, Manual, Silver	68k	£3,295	£2,995	£300
2012 / 12	Chevrolet Aveo 1.3VCDI LT, White, 5dr, Manual	Del Miles	£11,490	£10,490	£1,000	2009 / 59	Vauxhall Astra Club Twinport 5dr Manual Silver	39k	£6,995	£6,495	£500
2012 / 12	Chevrolet Aveo 1.3VCDI LT, Silver, 5dr, Manual	5k	£10,990	£9,990	£1,000	2010 / 10	Vauxhall Insignia SRi 160 CDTI Estate Auto Black	50K	£10,495	£9,995	£500
2012 / 12	Chevrolet Aveo 1.3VCDI LTZ, Blue, 5dr, Manual	7k	£10,990	£10,490	£500	2010 / 10	Vauxhall Insignia SRi 2.0 Diesel Manual Silver	41k	£10,395	£9,995	£400
2009 / 09	Chevrolet Aveo 1.4LT, Black 5dr, Manual	12k	£5,295	£4,995	£300	2008 / 08	Volkswagen Golf 1.9TDI Manual Blue	69k	£7,995	£6,995	£1,000
2012 / 10	Chevrolet Spark 1.2LT, Cocktail Green, Manual	15k	£6,490	£5,990	£500	2000 / X	Volkswagen Beetle, 2.0, petrol, silver	46k	£3,495	£2,995	£500
2012 / 12	Chevrolet Spark 1.0 Plus AC, Red, Manual	4k	£6,990	£6,490	£500	2008 / 08	Renault Clio Dynamique 1.2 16v grey	50k	£5,295	£4,995	£300
2012 / 61	Chevrolet Spark 1.2LS Plus, Met Blue, Manual	9k	£6,990	£6,490	£500	2007 / 57	Vauxhall Combo 1.3 CDTI, Manual, White	51k	£4490& VAT	£3990& VAT	£500
2009 / 59	Chevrolet Matiz 1.0 S, 5dr, Silver, Manual	2k	£4,990	£4,690	£300	2005 / 05	Freelander, 1.8 Petrol, Met Blue	78k	£5,295	£4,995	£300
2008 / 08	Chevrolet Matiz 1.0 SE, 5dr, Manual, Red	50k	£3,990	£3,690	£300	2003 / 03	Ford Fiesta 1.3 LX, Silver, Manual	41k	£2,995	£2,795	£200
2006 / 56	Chevrolet Kalos 1.2SE, 3dr, Manual, Grey	58k	£2,990	£2,590	£400	2003 / 03	Skoda Fabia 1.4 Classic, Manual, Teal	59k	£2,295	£1,995	£300
2009 / 59	Vauxhall Saxi 1.6 5dr, Manual, Grey	43k	£7,995	£6,995	£1,000	2003 / 03	Daihatsu Charade, 1.3, 5dr, Manual, Silver	59k	£2,295	£1,995	£300
2009 / 59	Vauxhall Club, 1.6 5dr, Manual, Silver	39k	£7,495	£6,795	£700	2004 / 54	Kia Rio L Plus, Automatic, Silver	30k	£3,295	£2,995	£300
2003 / 03	BMW Sport Tourer M Sport, 3.0di, Grey	77k	£7,495	£6,995	£500	2004 / 04	Nissan Almera, 1.5dci, 5dr, Blue	66k	£2,995	£2,795	£200
2006 / 56	Vauxhall Zafira, 1.9CDTi Life, Manual, Silver	57k	£6,495	£5,995	£500	2000 / X	Peugeot 206, 1.4 3dr, Red	92k	£1,495	£1,295	£200
2007 / 57	Vauxhall Club, 1.7 CDTi, Manual, Grey	51k	£5,995	£5,695	£300						
2006 / 56	Ford Focus 1.8TCDI Sport, Manual, Silver	68k	£6,995	£6,495	£500						
2004 / 54	Vauxhall Meriva, 1.6 Club, Manual, Silver	39k	£3,995	£3,595	£400						

ALL MAKES SERVICING FROM **£99**

Half Price MOTs Plus Special offers to CLUB Members



AUTHORISED REPAIRER



County, The Engine Room, Buckingham Road, Bicester, Oxfordshire, OX26 4EL

Tel: 01869 600600

*Term & Conditions apply.

County
Join the club
www.CountyChevrolet.co.uk

A BIG THANKS to all who came to the
Mad Hatters Teaparty
on Saturday, you all helped SSAFA
with your generosity and it was a
great day for all involved.

CITROEN

CITROEN SAXO



2002 1.1L petrol manual silver Saxo Forte 3dr 2 owners, FSH, front fogs, MoT & taxed, lovely condition, overseas move forced sale, 77,500 miles

01869 277929

£15,950

Fiat

FIAT CINQUECENTO



Sporting Yellow, 2003, 5 Speed Manual, Petrol, Alloys, Sunroof, CD, 1 prev lady owner. Great car for town and travel plus easy parking. 58,000 miles

Tel: 07765 533627

£1,690

Ford

FORD FOCUS GHIA TDCI

1800cc, 03 plate, mot April 2013, fsh, family owned from new, 50 miles per gallon, plus low road tax
Tel: 01666 837368 (evenings)

£1,300

Mazda

MAZDA COUPE RX8



1.3L. 4 Dr. Metallic Black. 2006. Petrol. Red/black leather. 37,000 miles. E/seats, alloys. CD multi changer x 6, a/c, climate control, alarm. Tax 5 mths. MOT Sept 2013.

Tel: 07715 409891

£3,295

Nissan

NISSAN MICRA

1.5 Diesel, 2005, Mot Sept 13, Tax Dec 12, Gunmetal grey, economic, very reliable, good condition throughout
01865 373696

£995

Renault

RENAULT CLIO



Ideal 1st Car, Blue, 2005, 5 Speed Manual, Petrol, C/RL, Alarm, Air Con, Alloys, Sunroof, CD, FSH, MOT & Tax, 37,675 Miles

07599 555622

£3,400 ono

Caravans & Motorhomes

CARAVAN

Immaculate Caravan in Weymouth Dorset

Park is next to the beach, full range of facilities on park. Owners only facilities. 2 miles from Weymouth centre. Viewings available this weekend, Grab a bargain.

£12,900.



Call Rob 07921 588686

VAUXHALL

Volkswagen

Volkswagen

VAUXHALL CORSA

2000, Silver, 3 door hatch back, some cosmetic damage, radio, taxed, 12 months MOT, good reliable runner, ideal first car 107957 miles

07758 006855

£500

VOLKSWAGEN POLO

1.4 Match 3dr, 2000, Blue, 1390Cc, Petrol, Manual, ABS, C/L, E/M, E/W, PAS, S/R, Alloys, 1 years Mot, 6 months Tax

01869 343548

£1100

VOLKSWAGEN SHARAN

1997 7 seater Diesel, drives well, high mileage but plenty of bills/service history etc, interior worn but OK, tax Nov, MoT end Jan, reliable and economical

£475 ono

01869 331969

Commercial Vehicles

CITROEN DISPATCH

FORD FOCUS

YAMAHA YP Scooter

YAMAHA YP SCOOTER

RENAULT CLIO

SUBARU IMPREZA

STILL LOOKING AND NOT FINDING WHAT YOU WANT??

FORD KA

LAND ROVER DISCOVERY

NISSAN ALMERA TINO

RENAULT CLIO

SUBARU IMPREZA

banburycake.co.uk/jobs

£1,600 ono

£695

£3,450

£1,699

£3150

£6250

£1,600 ono

ROB DAWSON MOBILE MECHANIC

Service & Repairs
All makes of car and
light commercials

At your home or place of
work Pre MoT Checks

Tel : 01295 253515
07549 125281

Don't let your scrap go to waste!

We buy Copper, Brass, Stainless,
Household Cable, Computer
Scrap, Scrap Vehicles and
also Offer Skip Hire and
Factory Clearance.



01869 252353
sales@l-c-hughes.co.uk
www.l-c-hughes.co.uk



1000's of car spares at competitive prices!

SELL YOUR CAR

From as little as
£9.99

Terms and conditions apply
(other packages available)

Your advert can appear
in 9 newspapers across
Oxfordshire and Wiltshire
reaching over 400,000
readers and online to nearly
1 million potential buyers
across the UK.

**BOOKING
IS EASY**

Tel: 01865 420420
Online: oxfordmail.
co.uk/advertise

MJ RECOVERY LTD
**ALL SCRAP VEHICLES
WANTED**
HUGE £100 MINIMUM CASH PAID!
MOT Failures - DVLA Notified
£500 - £5000 paid for Clean Running Cars
Cheap Breakdown Service • Fully Insured • Registered Waste Carrier
FAST • HONEST • RELIABLE
Tel: 07766 540 401 or
Freephone: 08000 778 328
Get a quote for your car from our website! Visit:
www.mjrecoveryltd.co.uk

**YOUR CAR WILL BE
SEEN BY OVER
144,871**

Local readers

CALL 01295 256111

**BANBURY MOT
S & SERVICE CENTRE**
MOT'S
MOT Testing Centre • Expert Mechanical Repairs & Servicing
All Makes of Car & Light Commercial • Brakes, Clutches Etc
Competitive Rates • First Class Service • Tyres & Wheel Balancing
Telephone 01295 700050
Unit 1 • Mead Park • Thorpe Mead
Thorpe Way Industrial Estate
Banbury • Oxon • OX16 4RZ



LOWER ARNCOTT Established 1972
CAR SALES

2008	58	VW GOLF 2.0 TDI GT Sport 140, Black, 3 Door, Excellent service history, Full leather interior, Alloys, Pas, Electric windows, Electric heated door mirrors, Radio/CD, Lovely condition, Sold with a new MOT a full service and a new cambelt kit	£8,495
2006	56	VAUXHALL CORSA 1.4, Metallic Grey, 5 Door, One owner, Very good service record, PAS, Electric windows, Aircon, Radio/CD, Alloys, Lovely condition throughout, Sold with a new MOT a full service and a new cambelt, HPI Clear	£3,795
2003	53	FORD FIESTA 1.4 'FLAME', 5 Door, Dark Metallic Blue, Very good service history, Aircon, Alloys, Remote central locking, Radio/CD, Electric windows, Very nice small car, Sold With a new MOT a full service and a new cambelt, HPI Clear	£3,295
2002	52	VAUXHALL ASTRA 1.8 LS, Silver, 5 Door, Air conditioning, PAS, Electric windows, Central locking, Local car, Sold with a new MOT, a service and a new cambelt, HPI Clear	£1,895
2003	03	CITROEN XSARA 1.8 PICASSO SX, Metallic Green, Local car, Radio/CD, Central locking, Electric windows, Aircon, Nice condition, Sold with a new MOT, a full service and a new cambelt, HPI Clear	£1,995
2003	03	FORD FOCUS 1.8 ZETEC ESTATE, Metallic Dark Green, Air conditioning, Alloys, Electric windows, Power Steering Sold with new MOT, full service and a new cambelt, HPI Clear	£1,695
2001	51	VAUXHALL CORSA 1.0 LITRE, Blue, 3 Door, Local car, Previously supplied by ourselves, PAS, Radio, Ideal first car, Very economical, Sold with a new MOT a full service and a new cambelt, HPI Clear	£1,695
2002	52	NISSAN MICRA 1.0 TEMPEST, Blue, 3 Door, PAS, Sunroof very tidy car sold with a new MoT and a full service HPI Clear	£1,895

Cars Wanted, Cash Paid

At S & S MOTORS

63 Ploughley Road, Arncott, Bicester OX25 1NY (3 miles off the A41 from Bicester)
Tel: 01869 253933 www.sandsmotorsbicester.co.uk

LIFETIME
WARRANTY 100,000 MILE

0% APR Representative | flexible finance

Choose your deposit, choose your term* **PLUS** Lifetime warranty.**



Corsa Limited Edition 1.2i

£185 per month[†] | with
£750 Vauxhall
deposit contribution



Astra GTC Sport 1.4i Turbo (120PS)

£209 per month[†] | with
£1,000 Vauxhall
deposit contribution



Corsa SXi 1.2i

£179 per month[†]

**FREE
INSURANCE**
For 21-75
year olds

Bridge Banbury

01295 755 400

www.bridgevauxhall.co.uk

Beaumont Road
Banbury
Oxfordshire
OX16 1RH



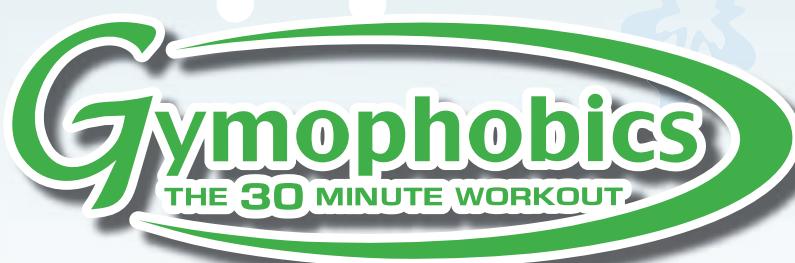
VAUXHALL

Official Government Test Environmental Data. Fuel consumption figures mpg (litres/100km) and CO₂ emissions (g/km). Vauxhall range (excl. Ampera): Urban: 14.4 (19.6) - 76.3 (3.7), Extra-urban: 27.4 (10.3) - 91.1 (3.1), Combined: 20.6 (13.7) - 85.6 (3.3). CO₂ emissions: 324 - 88g/km.

*Corus Limited Edition £2800 customer deposit (after deduction of Vauxhall contribution) followed by 60 monthly payments of £185. †Astra GTC Sport £5500 customer deposit (after deduction of Vauxhall contribution) followed by 60 monthly payments of £209. Model shown has 19 inch alloy wheels available at an extra cost. *Corus SXi £2780 customer deposit followed by 60 monthly payments of £179. Not Available on Expression, ES, Vauxhall Tech Line models, Astra BiTurbo 5dr and Sports Tourer models, Ampera or VXR8. Vauxhall Deposit Contribution not available on Corsa SXi or Mokka. Finance subject to status. Terms and conditions apply. Applicants must be 18 or over. Guarantee or Indemnity may be required. Finance supplied by either Vauxhall Motor Finance RH15SR or Vauxhall Finance. P.O. Box 6666, Cardiff, CF15 7YT. Offer applies to private individuals, Vauxhall Partners and small businesses 1-24 (purchase only excluding B2B). All other customers are excluded. Offer available on orders or registrations before 17 December 2012. *Term can be from 24 - 60 months. **Vauxhall Lifetime Warranty covers lifetime ownership of first registered keeper, 100,000 mile limit. Terms and conditions apply. First year insurance offer available on Corsa SXi only. The offer will cover the full premium for drivers aged between 21 - 75 (motor policy only). Only available through Vauxhall Insurance. Policies are underwritten by Ageas Insurance Ltd.

Get FIT for christmas

30 minutes 3 times a week can change your life!



**NO UPFRONT PAYMENTS
(SAVING £65)**

OFFER ENDS 31st Oct 2012

**MEMBERSHIPS START AS
LITTLE AS £15 A MONTH**

(TERMS & CONDITIONS APPLY)

**CALL NOW FOR YOUR
FREE GUEST VISIT
01295 255 532**

2A Bridge Street, Banbury OX16 5PH
www.gymophobics-banbury.co.uk

Join us on Facebook to receive our
up to date promotions.



<http://facebook.com/gymophobicsbanbury>

The Gymophobics Experience

Don't worry if you are overweight
or very unfit! So too are many of our
ladies when they start.

There are no mirrors at Gymophobics
and no Lycra leotards either.

Come along in loose clothing and
enjoy the relaxed 'intimidation
free' environment.

Discover MacBook Pro with Retina display at AT Computers.

It redefines what a notebook can be.



The all-new MacBook Pro features a stunning Retina display with over five million pixels, an ultra-fast all-flash architecture and the latest quad-core Intel processors. All in an incredibly thin and light design.

TM and © 2012 Apple Inc. All rights reserved.

Visit AT Computers
Your local Apple expert.



RIVER CRUISE

**the
river
cruise
line**

**FLASH
SALE**



4 days NOW from
£199.00

CODE: OX

German Christmas Markets

Departs 7 December 2012

The mouth-watering smell of baked gingerbread and the warming taste of Glühwein – when was Christmas shopping more enjoyable?

Price includes

- Executive return coach travel from your chosen departure point
- Return ferry crossing from Dover to Calais
- Welcome drink, Captain's get together and Party Night
- En-suite cabin accommodation aboard the mps Lady Anne
- Full board during your cruise
- Entertainment every night of your cruise
- Visits to Andernach, Oberwesel, Koblenz and Cologne
- Cologne walking tour

www.rivercruiseline.co.uk

0844 544 6585 quoting code OX

Organised by Diamond Holidays of Market Harborough. ABTA W0552
Prices are per person & based on two people sharing.

Single supplement applies. Departure points are subject to availability and minimum numbers being achieved.

ABTA No.W0552

RIVER CRUISE

BanburyCake

Your FREE weekly paper
Choose advertising that works,
choose the BANBURY CAKE

Don't just take our word for it....

"Thank you Banbury Cake – advertising with you before and during Christmas 2011 led to an increase in both enquiries and wedding bookings for the Whately Hotel in 2012. We would recommend advertising with the Banbury Cake, for the service, the advice and most importantly, a return on your investment. Thanks to Clair and the team!"

Mercure Whatley Hall Hotel, Banbury

"Thank you so much for the wonderful advertising that you provided for Katherine House over the past few months. We had over 680 walkers register for the Midnight Walk this year, 90 more than last year!"

Katherine House Hospice

"Gymphobics have been advertising with the Banbury Cake for a couple of years now and have always seen an increase in enquiries and membership bookings following a campaign. This January we ran a series of full pages and a four page wrap with the Cake and had the best January uptake we have seen in years – we are delighted! This proves we spent our marketing funds well and would recommend other local businesses looking for an increase in sales or bookings to contact the team at the Banbury Cake."

Gymphobics Banbury

OVER 25,000 READERS EACH WEEK*

Advertising to suit any budget

**For great advice on your print or online marketing campaign,
call the team today on 01295 256111 or**

email hmason@nqo.com

*jicreg 2012

TEMPORARY DISTRIBUTORS REQUIRED

To deliver the Thomson Local in Royal Leamington Spa, Warwick, Southam, Alcester, Stratford upon Avon, Banbury, Chipping Campden, Aynho and surrounding areas.

Good rates of pay and flexible working hours

You will need a car to transport your directories

CALL 0844 742 1333

www.thomsondirectories.com/distribution

Text WARW to 07786 208008

Bloxham School



is looking for a

DIGITAL STORYTELLER

OPENING HOURS

Mon-Thur 9am - 5.30pm

Fri 9am - 5pm

01295 256 111

GB DAF

at your service

HGV Technicians For New Workshop

Due to continued business growth in Banbury, we are expanding and opening a **Brand New DAF Dealership**. We require experienced technicians to join our friendly team on both day and night shifts.

If you are an experienced and qualified HGV Technician, looking for a new challenge then give Mike a call on 01295 270072 for an informal chat or just call in for a coffee and walk around.

You can also email us: **jobs@gbdaf.com**

www.gbdaf.com

